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To amend, on an emergency basis, the District of Columbia Campaign Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act to exempt Gregory A. O'Dell, the designee for chief executive officer of the District of Columbia Sports and Entertainment Commission, from the conflict of interest provisions.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Conflict of Interest Emergency Amendment Act 2007".

Sec. 2. Section 601(h-1) of the District of Columbia Campaign Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act, approved August 14, 1974 (88 Stat. 465; D.C. Official Code § 1-1106.01(h-1), is amended by adding a new paragraph (3) to read as follows:

Note,
§ 1-1106.01

"(3) Gregory A. O'Dell, the designee for chief executive officer of the District of Columbia Sports and Entertainment Commission, shall be exempt from the provisions of this subsection."

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

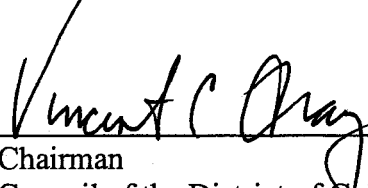
The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Chief Financial Officer as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

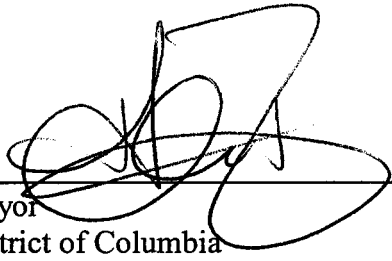
This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section

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412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788;
D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).



Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia



Mayor
District of Columbia
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FISCAL YEAR 2008 BUDGET SUPPORT EMERGENCY ACT OF 2007

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AN ACT
D.C. ACT 17-74

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

JULY 25, 2007

To enhance, on an emergency basis, support for certain telecommunications and technology services of the District of Columbia government and facilitate the provision of those services by establishing dedicated funds to collect payments for services from District government agencies; to specify funding allocations for one-time, nonrecurring grants; to amend section 47-1808.02(1) of the District of Columbia Official Code to exclude the gross income of a qualified community development entity that has received an allocation or suballocation of new markets tax credits from the federal government that is derived from one or more qualified low-income community investments; to amend Chapter 8 of Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code to increase the homestead deduction and adjust it annually for inflation; to amend section 47-1801.04 of the District of Columbia Official Code to increase the standard deduction and adjust it annually for inflation; to amend section 47-1806.02 of the District of Columbia Official Code to increase the personal exemption and adjust it annually for inflation; to reserve unallocated fiscal year 2008 local funds for commercial property tax relief for small businesses; to establish the Greater Southeast Community Hospital Capital Equipment Fund for the purpose of purchasing and maintaining capital equipment at Greater Southeast Community Hospital; to amend section 47-1050 of the District of Columbia Official Code to terminate the exemption from taxation for the property containing Greater Southeast Community Hospital as of the end of Tax Year 2007; to amend the Rental Housing Conversion and Sale Act of 1980 to provide tenant assistance; to amend the Rental Housing Act of 1985 to transfer functions and funds to the Department of Housing and Community Development; to amend An Act To establish standard weights and measures for the District of Columbia; to define the duties of the Superintendent of Weights, Measures, and Markets of the District of Columbia; and for other purposes to authorize the Mayor to condemn unregistered devices; to amend the Retail Electric Competition and Consumer Protection Act of 1999 to remove the current cap on the administrative fee for contracts under the municipal aggregation program; to amend the Youth Employment Act of 1979 to increase the availability of work experience for District youth 14 and 15 years of age; to amend the District of Columbia Unemployment Compensation Act to continue unemployment compensation administrative funding

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assessments, to provide for the payment of a penalty and interest on unpaid administrative funding assessments, to correct the location of the Special Administrative Expense Fund, and to provide for the payment of interest on the Special Administrative Expense Fund and the Administrative Assessment Account; to authorize the appropriation of \$10,464,401 from funds distributed to the District of Columbia pursuant to section 903 of the Social Security Act to improve the administration of the Unemployment Compensation Program; to amend the Small, Local, and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Development and Assistance Act of 2005 to authorize the Department of Small and Local Business Development to streamline the certification process by modifying and clarifying its role and functions, and to establish a nonlapsing fund used to provide financial assistance to small business enterprises and disadvantage business enterprises; to amend the Retail Electric Competition and Consumer Protection Act of 1999 to clarify the purposes of the Reliable Energy Trust Fund and to authorize a study on the current state of the energy markets in the District; to amend the Omnibus Utility Amendment Act of 2004 to provide that interest earned on monies deposited in the Natural Gas Trust Fund shall be credited to the Natural Gas Trust Fund and shall be used solely for the designated purposes, and to authorize a study on the current state of the energy markets in the District; to amend the Deed Transfer and Recordation Amendment Act of 2006 so that the definition of home ownership affordability is consistent with that of Fannie Mae; to amend the Fiscal Year 2007 Budget Support Act of 2006 to establish the authorized expenditures for fiscal year 2008 from the Comprehensive Housing Task Force Fund; to amend the Workforce Housing Production Program Approval Act of 2006 to require the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development to create a centralized affordable workforce housing-unit wait list, and to require the Deputy Mayor of Planning and Economic Development to assess the demand for workforce for-sale and rental housing among employees of the District government and its instrumentalities; to amend the Neighborhood Investment Act of 2004 to clarify the purposes of the Neighborhood Investment Fund, and to authorize the Mayor to make loans or grants from the Neighborhood Investment Fund to facilitate revitalization activities in the designated target area; to require the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development to draft development plans for the redevelopment of 2 surplus properties as affordable workforce housing targeting public school and public charter school teachers; to authorize the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development to make intra-District transfers from the Neighborhood Investment Fund to the Main Streets programs; to authorize \$200,000 for the promulgation and publication of historic preservation design guidelines; to amend Chapter 18 of Title 47 of the District of Columbia Code to repeal the obsolete targeted historic tax credit; to amend the Housing Production Trust Fund Act of 1988 to increase the amount from the fund for bonds and debt service for the Sursum Corda New Communities Initiative; to amend An Act To Authorize certain programs and activities of the government of the District of Columbia,

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and for other purposes to clarify that the Metropolitan Police Department has grant-making authority; to amend the Victims of Violent Crime Compensation Act of 1996 to make the Crime Victims Assistance Fund an interest-bearing fund to be administered by the Office of Victim Services and to require the Chief Financial Officer to calculate interest earned on funds in the fund for fiscal years 2003 through 2007 and deposit that amount into the fund; to establish the Shelter and Transitional Housing for Victims of Domestic Violence Fund as a nonlapsing fund to be used for the purpose of awarding grants to organizations that provide services to victims of domestic violence in emergency shelters and transitional housing, and to require the Chief Financial Officer to transfer \$3.7 million into the fund from the Crime Victims Assistance Fund; to amend the Emergency and Non-Emergency Number Telephone Calling Systems Fund Act of 2000 to provide that, as of October 1, 2009, no more than 10 full-time equivalent employees shall be funded by the Emergency and Non-Emergency Number Telephone Calling Systems Fund, to require that all revenues from 6 sources in excess of the revenue level for each source as included in the annual budget transmitted by the Mayor and approved by the Council for fiscal year, and all revenues designated by section 28-3911(a) of the District of Columbia Official Code for deposit into the District of Columbia Consumer Protection Fund in excess of the asset limitation for that fund be deposited into the Emergency and Non-Emergency Number Telephone Calling Systems Fund, and to require the Office of Unified Communications to establish a schedule for replacement of equipment for the 911 system; to amend section 28-3911 of the District of Columbia Official Code to require that all revenues designated for deposit into the District of Columbia Consumer Protection Fund in excess of the asset limitation for that fund be deposited into the Emergency and Non-Emergency Number Telephone Calling Systems Fund; to authorize the Office of the Attorney General to award a grant to the District of Columbia Bar Foundation each fiscal year to provide support to nonprofit organizations that deliver civil legal services to low-income District residents; to amend the District of Columbia Poverty Lawyer Loan Assistance Repayment Program Act of 2006 to provide that the amount for administration of the program shall be specified each fiscal year by an act of the Council, and to authorize the Office of the Attorney General to award a grant to a third party to administer the program; to require certain agencies to provide an analysis of telephone and communications costs; to establish the FEMS Special Events Fee Fund to be used to cover the costs of the Fire and Emergency Medical Services Department in providing services for special events; to amend the Uniform Per Student Funding Formula for Public Schools and Public Charter Schools Act of 1998 to reflect inflationary adjustments; to amend the State Education Office Establishment Act of 2000 to authorize supplemental funding in addition to the Uniform Per Pupil Funding Formula for a special education school serving students in need of an intensive program of special education services with a diagnosis of one or more disabling conditions for which the Individualized Educational Plan requires services in a self-contained setting during the

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regular day, and to establish a confidential electronic student and teacher database for students and teachers in public schools, public charter schools, and for students at the University of the District of Columbia; to establish a Non-Departmental account containing funds appropriated for the purpose of funding the costs of any reorganization of state education functions or public education initiatives; to amend the District of Columbia School Reform Act of 1995 to require that a public charter school participate in the longitudinal education data warehouse system established by the Office of the State Superintendent of Education, to require the Office of the State Superintendent of Education to develop a plan to address deficiencies in the current uniform per student funding formula, to authorize the Office of the State Superintendent of Education to provide supplemental funding in accordance with the plan, and to redesignate the fund previously established in the General Fund of the District of Columbia as the Charter School Fund as the Student Enrollment Fund and to set forth the purposes of the fund; to repeal section 102 of the School Modernization Financing Act of 2006 pertaining to the cost-of-construction adjustment for the Public School Capital Improvement Fund attributable to District of Columbia Public School capital budgets; to amend section 47-2033 of the District of Columbia Official Code to make adjustments pertaining to the dedication of sales tax revenue for the Public School Capital Improvement Fund; to amend section 47-305.02 of the District of Columbia Official Code to make adjustments pertaining to the minimum funding for District of Columbia Public School's capital budgets; to amend the Public Education Reform Amendment Act of 2007 to authorize the Mayor to transfer any unspent capital authority for new construction or modernization of schools from the capital budget of the District of Columbia Public Schools to the capital budget of the Office of Public Education Facilities Modernization, and to repeal an applicability provision; to amend the Rehabilitation Services Program Establishment Act of 2004 to authorize the Rehabilitation Services Program to receive and administer grants for the purpose of providing services to support employment of persons with disabilities; to authorize expenditures for the prevention of homelessness; to repeal subsection 7013.1 of Title 17 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations; to require the Department of Human Services to distribute a \$3 million increase in benefits for the Income Assistance Administration program to low-income families receiving Temporary Assistance for Needy Families as a net increase in benefits; to require the timely disbursement of grants; to require the Department of Mental Health to provide funding annual allocation statements to certified mental health providers; to require the Medical Assistance Administration to report to the Council on nursing home placements; to require the Department of Health to report to the Council on the Health Professional Recruitment Program; to require the Department of Health to report to the Council on levels of uncompensated care provided by healthcare facilities in the District; to require the Medical Assistance Administration to report on Medicaid revenue maximization; to require the Medical Assistance Administration to report on the Qualified Medicare

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Beneficiary program; to require the Department of Health to provide a report to the Council on its efforts to discontinue direct substance abuse treatment services within the Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration; to require the Department of Health and the Department of Mental Health to report to the Council on communications costs; to require the Department of Health to provide the Council with a comprehensive diabetes and hypertension strategy report; to prohibit the Department of Health or the Department of Mental Health from entering into an agreement for the transfer of funds in excess of the specified budget; to set forth the number of full-time equivalent positions within the Mental Health Authority within the Department of Mental Health; to set forth the number of full-time equivalent positions within the Medical Assistance Administration within the Department of Health, to set forth the number of full-time equivalent positions within the Health Care Safety Net Administration, and to set forth the number of full-time equivalent positions within the Health Regulation and Licensing Administration within the Department of Health; to require that no less than \$11,218,000 in local funds be allocated for the provision of school health services; to require that \$600,000 be granted to Howard University Hospital to provide diabetes education and prevention; to require that \$600,000 be granted to Howard University Hospital to provide prostate cancer education and prevention; to require that \$300,000 be granted to Children's National Medical Center for pre-school immunization programs; to require that up to \$1.9 million be granted to the District of Columbia Primary Care Association for operational expenses for the Medical Homes DC project; to require that \$500,000 be granted to the District of Columbia Area Health Education Center for health professional training programs; to require that \$700,000 be granted to Southeastern University for allied health training programs; to require that \$100,000 be granted to the Washington Regional Transplant Consortium for organ and tissue donor awareness campaigns; to require that \$350,000 be granted to the National Kidney Foundation to provide kidney disease screening and follow-up care; to require that \$250,000 be granted to the National Capital Poison Control Center for poison control activities; to require that \$125,000 be granted to So Others Might Eat for dental and oral health services; to require that no less than \$500,000 be deposited in the Health Professional Recruitment Fund for direct payments to Health Professional Recruitment Program participants; to require that \$170,000 be granted to Mary's Center and La Clinica del Pueblo for a joint program to enhance primary health for the Latino population; to require that \$150,000 be allocated for a public education campaign on the connection between Human Papillomavirus and cervical cancer and the effectiveness and risks of the Human Papillomavirus vaccine; to require that \$300,000 be granted to the American Lung Association of the District of Columbia for asthma programs; to require that \$300,000 be granted to Food & Friends for clinical nutritional support for individuals with cancer and other life-threatening illnesses; to require that \$250,000 be granted to the Capital Breast Care Center to raise awareness and provide breast cancer screening; to require that \$475,000 be allocated to the Family

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Support Workers Program; to require that \$100,000 be granted to the D.C. Assembly on School-Based Health Care for school health policies and programs; to require that no less than \$1.45 million be allocated for rat abatement programs; to require that no less than \$250,000 be allocated for the assisted living program; to require that \$25,000 be granted to ISIS, Inc., for sexual health education programs; to require that \$100,000 be allocated for cultural competency training for clinicians that serve Latino and other immigrant populations; to require \$200,000 be allocated for housing assistance programs for people living with HIV/AIDS; to require that \$300,000 be granted to Food & Friends for clinical nutritional support for individuals with HIV/AIDS; to require that \$1.5 million be allocated for comprehensive HIV/AIDS prevention programs; to require that \$650,000 be allocated to the East of the River HIV/AIDS Initiative; to require that \$150,000 be granted to Transgender Health Empowerment for HIV/AIDS prevention education; to require that \$750,000 be granted to the Whitman-Walker Clinic for HIV/AIDS treatment and support; to require \$110,000 to be granted to MetroTeen AIDS for HIV/AIDS education and training for school nurses; to require that no less than \$250,000 be allocated for burial assistance; to require that up to \$5 million be made available to partner with the School of Public Health at George Washington University for Medicaid-reimbursable management and administrative projects; to require that no less than \$1 million be allocated for the Health Care Ombudsman program; to require that no less than \$1 million be allocated for residential treatment center rate increases; to require no less than \$1 million be allocated for the establishment of the Aging and Disabilities Resource Center; to require that \$150,000 be granted to the District of Columbia Hospital Association for terrorism response planning coordination services; to require that no less than \$200,000 be made available to partner with KPMG, LLP for management and administrative projects; to require that \$100,000 be granted to the Crystal Meth Working Group for substance abuse prevention services; to require that no less than \$12.54 million be directed to the Addiction Recovery Fund to support direct services for the Choice in Drug Treatment Program; to require that \$100,000 be allocated for mental health services at the Detoxification Center; to require that \$200,000 be granted to the District of Columbia Birth Center, Inc., for family support services; to require that no less than \$4.35 million be allocated to the School Mental Health Program; to require that no less than \$2 million be allocated for forensic services; to require that no less than \$5.5 million be allocated for rental subsidies for persons with mental illness; to require that no less than \$300,000 be allocated for a peer-operated wellness center; to require that no less than \$2 million be allocated for Department of Mental Health strategic management projects, of which \$500,000 shall be made available to partner with KPMG, LLP; to incorporate the allocations and recommendations set forth in the committee report of the Committee on Health into Part B of Title V; to amend the Highway Trust Fund Establishment Act of 1996 to provide that excess monies remaining in the District of Columbia Highway Trust Fund be deposited into the District Department of Transportation Unified Fund, and to

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provide that the funding source for the Local Roads Construction and Maintenance Fund shall be the District Department of Transportation Unified Fund; to amend the Department of Transportation Establishment Act of 2002 to require that the fiscal year 2007 operating fund balance be kept separate from the District Department of Transportation Unified Fund, to establish the District Department of Transportation Unified Fund as a nonlapsing fund, and to establish the revenue sources to be deposited into the District Department of Transportation Unified Fund; to amend section 8-3:606(e)(iv) of the Solid Waste Regulations to authorize changes in solid waste cost recovery to be made by rulemaking and to establish a special account for the solid waste cost recovery fund; to transfer the civilian school crossing guard function to the District Department of Transportation; to amend the Department of Transportation Establishment Act of 2002 to authorize the District Department of Transportation to enforce motor vehicle parking and moving violations; to establish a taxi and limousine Industry task force to consider and report on the organization, administration, and other issues within the taxi and limousine industry; to amend the District of Columbia Taxicab Commission Establishment Act of 1985 to establish a nonlapsing fund to be used to encourage the purchase, operation, and use of wheelchair-accessible taxicabs; to amend the Water and Sewer Authority Establishment and Department of Public Works Reorganization Act of 1996 to clarify the District of Columbia Chief Financial Officer's authority over the chief financial officer of District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority, and to require the Water and Sewer Authority Board to conduct a comprehensive review of the Authority's operating and capital budgets, plans, and programs and to report its findings to the Mayor and the Council; to amend section 2601.01 of Title 18 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations to increase the fine on a commercial vehicle, bus, or sightseeing vehicle for parking in front of a residence or other prohibited location from \$500 to \$1,000; to amend the Removal and Disposition of Abandoned and Other Unlawfully Parked Vehicles Reform Act of 2003 to provide that the towing fee shall be \$1,000 for a vehicle impounded pursuant to a violation of section 2405.3(e) of Title 18 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations; to establish a nonlapsing fund to provide grants to qualified corporations to assist in the creation of mural art in the District; to establish a nonlapsing fund to provide grants to qualified corporations to assist in litter removal efforts; to amend the Urban Forest Preservation Act of 2002 to clarify that a purpose of the Tree Fund shall be to provide income contingent subsidies to assist low-income homeowners with the costs of removing hazardous trees; to amend the Litter Control Administration Act of 1985 to provide that at least 4 inspectors in the Department of Public Works shall be designated SWEEP investigators to enhance vector control enforcement and enforce laws and regulations relating to the proper storage of solid wastes, and to require the department to identify areas most in need of vector control and to focus on those areas; to provide funding from the District Department of Transportation project FY03 Street Repair to address all aspects of street repair and

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inspection to specified streets in Ward 5; to require the Department of Public Works to hire qualified ex-offenders to fill at least 26.9 full-time equivalent positions dedicated to the agency's alley-cutback, graffiti-removal, and other public works programs; and to provide that unless otherwise provided in this act or other law, the designated appropriation allocations of this act shall be consistent with the requirements of the District of Columbia Procurement Practices Act of 1985, Chapter 5000 of Title 1 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations, or the terms and conditions to the federal funding source.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Fiscal Year 2008 Budget Support Emergency Act of 2007".

TITLE I. GOVERNMENT DIRECTION AND SUPPORT
SUBTITLE A. TECHNOLOGY SERVICES SUPPORT.

Sec. 1001. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Technology Services Support Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 1002. Definitions.

For the purposes of this subtitle, the term:

- (1) "Citywide Messaging program" means a program conducted by the Office of the Chief Technology Officer to manage the citywide e-mail system for the District government.
- (2) "Citywide Security program" means a program conducted by the Office of the Chief Technology Officer to implement and manage information technology security infrastructure for the District government.
- (3) "Costs" includes obligations incurred before the effective date of this subtitle.
- (4) "DC-NET program" means a program conducted by the Office of the Chief Technology Officer to implement and manage a state-of-the-art, fiber-optic network owned by the District government.
- (5) "IT ServUs program" means a program conducted by the Office of the Chief Technology Officer to furnish centralized procurement and management of hardware and software for desktop computer workstations and to provide desktop computer solutions and services to District government agencies.
- (6) "Server Operations program" means a program conducted by the Office of the Chief Technology Officer to provide centralized management of server computers that support functions of District government agencies.

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Sec. 1003. DC-NET Services Support Fund.

(a) There is established as a nonlapsing fund the DC-NET Services Support Fund, which shall be used solely to defray operational costs of the DC-NET program. The DC-NET Services Support Fund shall be funded by payments for telecommunications services furnished by the DC-NET program of the Office of the Chief Technology Officer from independent District government agencies and entities outside the District government that may engage the DC-Net program to provide telecommunications services to the District of Columbia Public Schools. All funds collected from these sources shall be deposited into the DC-NET Services Support Fund.

(b) All funds deposited into the DC-NET Services Support Fund, and any interest earned thereon, shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall be continually available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsection (a) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

Sec. 1004. Technology Infrastructure Services Support Fund.

(a) There is established as a nonlapsing fund the Technology Infrastructure Services Support Fund, which shall be used solely to defray operational costs of the Citywide Messaging program, the Citywide Security program, the IT ServUs program, and the Server Operations program. The Technology Infrastructure Services Support Fund shall be funded by payments from independent District government agencies for services furnished by the Citywide Messaging program, the Citywide Security program, the IT ServUs program, and the Server Operations program. All funds collected from these sources shall be deposited into the Technology Infrastructure Services Support Fund.

(b) All funds deposited into the Technology Infrastructure Services Support Fund, and any interest earned thereon, shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall be continually available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsection (a) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

SUBTITLE B. SPECIFIED FUNDING ALLOCATIONS.

Sec. 1011. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Specified Funding Allocations Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 1012. Grant allocations.

(a) Of the local funds included in the fiscal year 2008 budget of the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development, \$12.228 million in one-time, nonrecurring grants to be distributed as follows:

- (1) An amount of \$100,000 to Bread for the City;
- (2) An amount of \$100,000 to the D.C. Central Kitchen;

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- (3) An amount of \$250,000 to the Tudor Place Historic House and Garden;
- (4) An amount of \$200,000 to the Caribbean Festival;
- (5) An amount of \$1 million to the Duke Ellington Jazz Festival;
- (6) An amount of \$150,000 to the Friends of Kennedy Playground;
- (7) An amount of \$100,000 to Reaching Out to Others Together;
- (8) An amount of \$300,000 to Cease Fire...Don't Smoke the Brothers and Sisters, Inc.;
- (9) An amount of \$500,000 to the Greater Washington Sports Alliance;
- (10) An amount of \$650,000 to Cultural Tourism DC;
- (11) An amount of \$250,000 to the Historical Society of Washington;
- (12) An amount of \$225,000 to the Boxing Information Center;
- (13) An amount of \$100,000 to the Fiesta DC;
- (14) An amount of \$100,000 to Dress for Success;
- (15) An amount of \$50,000 to the Lower Georgia Avenue Job Training program at 633 Park Road, N.W.;
- (16) An amount of \$100,000 to Progressive Sports and Entertainment;
- (17) An amount of \$100,000 to Byte Back for computer training for low-income District adults;
- (18) An amount of \$100,000 to the Public Access Corporation of the District of Columbia Youth Training Institute;
- (19) An amount of \$150,000 to the Ward 7 Business and Professional Association;
- (20) An amount of \$150,000 to the Ward 8 Business Council;
- (21) An amount of \$100,000 to the Washington Jazz Arts Institute;
- (22) An amount of \$75,000 to the Training Grounds;
- (23) An amount of \$100,000 to Food for Fuel;
- (24) An amount of \$250,000 to the African American Civil War Memorial Foundation for a cultural tourism pilot program in Anacostia and U Street;
- (25) An amount of \$300,000 to the Humanities Council of Washington, D.C.;
- (26) An amount of \$125,000 to the Chinatown Community Cultural Center;
- (27) An amount of \$100,000 to the Capital Hill Community Foundation: Eastern Market: Keep it Going Fund to aid small business owners displaced by the fire at Eastern Market;
- (28) An amount of \$250,000 to the Capital Breast Care Center;
- (29) An amount of \$90,000 to The Choice Inc to aid single mothers in Barry Farm;
- (30) An amount of \$263,000 to the Museum Studies program at the Duke Ellington School of the Arts in Ward 2;
- (31) An amount of \$5 million to the Washington Ballet;

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(32) An amount of \$400,000 to the See Forever Foundation for the purpose of writing and implementing development plans for the production of permanently affordable workforce housing units; and

(33) An amount of \$500,000 to the National Council of Negro Women for capital improvements.

(b) Of the local funds included in the fiscal year 2008 budget of the Children and Youth Investment Trust Fund, \$4.43 million in a one-time, nonrecurring grant to the Children and Youth Investment Trust Corporation to be distributed as follows:

(1) An amount of \$200,000 to the National Building Museum to support a vocational education and development program partnership providing opportunities for District students to learn architectural design and building trade skills through ongoing coursework and programs;

(2) An amount of \$40,000 to the National Maritime Heritage Foundation to support a youth sailing program partnership for District youth on the Potomac and Anacostia rivers;

(3) An amount of \$300,000 to CityDance to support general operations, outreach education programs, and the maintenance and expansion of CityDance Center at Mt. Vernon Square;

(4) An amount of \$500,000 to Peaceoholics to support positive mentoring for youth;

(5) An amount of \$100,000 to Positive Choices;

(6) An amount of \$100,000 to DC Scores;

(7) An amount of \$400,000 to KidSave;

(8) An amount of \$500,000 to the Hoop Dreams Scholarship Fund;

(9) An amount of \$400,000 to support youth baseball programs;

(10) An amount of \$450,000 to the Time Dollar Youth Court diversion program, the receipt of which shall be contingent upon Time Dollar Youth Court having entered into a contract with an independent consultant to aid in its internal management development and capacity building and agreeing to submit bi-monthly reports on its diversion program to the Children and Youth Investment Trust detailing:

(A) The progress made regarding the recommendations of the independent consultant hired pursuant to this paragraph;

(B) Statistics on the number of youth referred;

(C) The names, and related information, of the referring agencies;

(D) The recidivism rate;

(E) The challenges still facing the program; and

(F) The accomplishments of the program;

(11) An amount of \$350,000 to Everybody Wins;

(12) An amount of \$140,000 to the Fort Dupont Ice Arena;

(13) An amount of \$200,000 to the DC Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy;

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(14) An amount of \$150,000 to the Ward 7 Nonprofit Capacity Building Collaborative;

(15) An amount of \$150,000 to Special Olympics DC;

(16) An amount of \$100,000 to the Earth Conservation Corps; and

(17) An amount of \$350,000 to Neighbors United for programs at the Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Washington, Eastern Branch, located in Ward 6.

(c) Of the local funds included in the fiscal year 2008 budget of the Commission on the Arts and Humanities, \$2.4 million in one-time, nonrecurring grants to be distributed as follows:

(1) An amount of \$1 million to the Washington Performing Arts Society;

(2) An amount of \$500,000 to the Woolly Mammoth Theatre;

(3) An amount of \$500,000 to the Lincoln Theatre;

(4) An amount of \$250,000 to the Source Theatre; and

(5) An amount of \$150,000 to the Ward 7 Arts Collaborative.

(d) Of the local funds included in the fiscal year 2008 budget of the Department of Small and Local Business Development, \$860,000 in one-time, nonrecurring grants to be distributed as follows:

(1) An amount of \$500,000 to the D.C. Economic Partnership;

(2) An amount of \$250,000 to the Historical Society of Washington;

(3) An amount of \$60,000 to the Howard University Small Business Development Center for a business executive program and an advanced business executive program; and

(4) An amount of \$50,000 to the Behavioral Environmental Academic Program, a youth training program in Ward 8.

(e) Of the local funds included in the fiscal year 2008 budget, \$775,000 in one-time, nonrecurring allocations to be distributed as follows:

(1) An amount of \$25,000 within the Department of Education to be granted to the Street Law Program;

(2) An amount of \$100,000 within the State Education Office for a state affiliation grant for STEM education;

(3) An amount of \$150,000 within the Department of Health to be granted to the Ward 7 HIV/AIDS Collaborative;

(4) An amount of \$100,000 within the Department of Human Services to be granted to the Community Council for the Homeless at Friendship Place;

(5) An amount of \$150,000 within the Office of the Chief Financial Officer to be granted to the Capital Area Asset Builders to support Earned Income Tax Credit outreach and free tax preparation services; provided, that the Office of the Chief Financial Officer may elect to reprogram to the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development, which in that event, the Office of Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development shall grant the funding to Capital Area Asset Builders to support Earned Income Tax Credit outreach and free tax preparation services; and

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(6) An amount of \$250,000 within the Office of the Attorney General to be granted to the District of Columbia Bar Foundation for the District of Columbia Poverty Lawyer Loan Assistance Repayment Program.

Sec. 1013. Other specified funding allocations.

(a) Of the local funds included in the fiscal year 2008 budget of the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development, \$3.425 million shall be allocated on a one-time basis as follows:

(1) An amount of \$50,000 for the writing of the New Markets Tax Credit Application;

(2) A \$600,000 intra-District transfer to the Department of Small and Local Business Development for the reStore DC Main Streets program;

(3) A \$400,000 intra-District transfer to the Department of Small and Local Business Development to provide additional funding for DC Main Streets to create a Main Street program in Wards 4, 7, and 8;

(4) A \$225,000 intra-District transfer to the Department of Public Works for the Small-Budget Business Improvement District Litter Cleanup Assistance Fund;

(5) A \$150,000 intra-District transfer to the Department of Small and Local Business Development for reStore DC: Commercial Development -Technical Assistance Program;

(6) A \$1 million intra-District transfer to the Department of Employment Services for its ex-offender program;

(7) A \$500,000 intra-District transfer to the Department of Human Services to restore services for Early Care and Education, to be distributed as follows:

(A) An amount of \$66,000 to Children Development Associate Scholarships;

(B) An amount of \$234,640 to the Home Visitor Program;

(C) An amount of \$101,000 to Infant and Toddler Expansion; and

(D) An amount of \$98,360 to Accreditation Technical Assistance;

(8) A \$100,000 intra-District transfer to the Department of Parks and Recreation for baseball field improvements at the Guy Mason Recreation Center in Ward 3, specifically, for fencing and netting along Wisconsin Avenue;

(9) A \$100,000 intra-District transfer to the Department of Parks and Recreation; and

(10) A \$300,000 intra-District transfer to the Office of Latino Affairs.

(b) Of the additional \$5 million in recurring local funds for the Department of Employment Services for job-training programs, a portion of this funding shall be allocated as follows:

(1) An amount of \$500,000 for the expansion of in-school and out-of-school, year-round work employment programs for youth;

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(2) An amount of \$500,000 for the development of an allied health workforce training program at Georgetown University Hospital; and

(3) An amount of \$500,000 for a one-time, intra-District transfer to the Department of Public Works and the Environment for the Small-Budget Business Improvement District Litter Cleanup Assistance Fund.

(c) Of the local funds included in the fiscal year 2008 budget for the Fire and Emergency Medical Services Department, \$25,000 shall be used for the Asia Sutton Smoke Detector Installation Fund.

(d) Of the local funds included in the fiscal year 2008 budget for the District of Columbia Auditor, \$150,000 shall be used for expert and specialized services.

(e) Of the local funds included in the fiscal year 2008 budget for the Department of Parks and Recreation, \$360,000 shall be used for the planning and design of the Marvin Gaye Recreation Center.

Sec. 1014. Grant transparency.

To ensure a transparent process for issuing and managing grants, the Office of Partnerships and Grants Development shall establish uniform guidelines for the application for and reporting on any grants received from any entity of the government of the District. The guidelines shall include a description of the project scope, budget, program activities, timelines, performance, and any appropriate financial information.

SUBTITLE C. NEW MARKETS TAX CREDIT CLARIFICATION.

Sec. 1021. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "New Markets Tax Credit Clarification Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 1022. Section 47-1808.02(1) of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended by striking the phrase "granted under § 47-1808.04." and inserting the phrase "granted under § 47-1808.04; provided, that taxable income shall not include the gross income of a qualified community development entity, as defined in section 45D(c)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, that has received an allocation or suballocation of new markets tax credits pursuant to section 45D(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, but only to the extent that the gross income is derived from one or more qualified low-income community investments, as defined in section 45D(d)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986." in its place.

Sec. 1023. Applicability.

Section 1022 shall apply as of October 1, 2007.

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SUBTITLE D. HOMESTEAD DEDUCTION INCREASE.

Sec. 1031. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Homestead Deduction Increase Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 1032. Chapter 8 of Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as follows:

(a) Section 47-802 is amended by adding a new paragraph (13) to read as follows:

"(13) The term "cost-of-living adjustment" for any real property tax year means an amount equal to \$64,000, multiplied by the percentage by which the Consumer Price Index for the preceding real property tax year exceeds the Consumer Price Index for the real property tax year beginning October 1, 2006. For the purposes of this paragraph, the Consumer Price Index for any real property tax year is the average of the Consumer Price Index for the Washington-Baltimore Metropolitan Statistical Area for all-urban consumers published by the Department of Labor, or any successor index, as of the close of the 12-month period ending on September 30 of such real property tax year."

(b) Section 47-850(a) is amended by striking the phrase "\$60,000" and inserting the phrase "\$64,000, increased annually, beginning October 1, 2008, by the cost-of-living adjustment (if the adjustment does not result in a multiple of \$50, rounded to the next lowest multiple of \$50)," in its place.

(c) Section 47-850.01 is amended by striking the phrase "\$60,000" and inserting the phrase "\$64,000, increased annually, beginning October 1, 2008, by the cost-of-living adjustment (if the adjustment does not result in a multiple of \$50, rounded to the next lowest multiple of \$50)," in its place.

Sec. 1033. Applicability.

This subtitle shall apply as of October 1, 2007.

SUBTITLE E. STANDARD DEDUCTION INCREASE.

Sec. 1041. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Standard Deduction Increase Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 1042. Section 47-1801.04 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as follows:

(a) Paragraph (26) is amended as follows:

(1) Subparagraph (A) is amended by striking the figure "\$2,500" and inserting the phrase "\$4,000, increased annually, beginning January 1, 2009, by the cost-of-living adjustment (if the adjustment does not result in a multiple of \$50, rounded to the next lowest multiple of

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\$50),” in its place.

(2) Subparagraph (B) is amended by striking the figure “\$1,250” and inserting the phrase “\$2,000, increased annually, beginning January 1, 2009, by the cost-of-living adjustment (if the adjustment does not result in a multiple of \$50, rounded to the next lowest multiple of \$50),” in its place.

(b) A new paragraph (37) is added to read as follows:

“(37) “Cost-of-living adjustment” for any calendar year means an amount equal to the dollar amount set forth in §§ 47-1801.04(26)(A) (pertaining to the standard deduction), 47-1801.04(26)(B) (pertaining to the standard deduction), 47-1806.02(f)(1)(A) (pertaining to the allowance of additional exemptions for dependents), or 47-1806.02(i) (pertaining to the personal exemption), as the case may be, multiplied by the percentage that the Consumer Price Index for the preceding calendar year exceeds the Consumer Price Index for the calendar year beginning January 1, 2007. For the purposes of this paragraph, the Consumer Price Index for any calendar year is the average of the Consumer Price Index for the Washington-Baltimore Metropolitan Statistical Area for all-urban consumers published by the Department of Labor, or any successor index, as of the close of the 12-month period ending on July 31 of such calendar year.”.

Sec. 1043. Applicability.

This subtitle shall apply as of January 1, 2008.

SUBTITLE F. PERSONAL EXEMPTION INCREASE.

Sec. 1051. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Personal Exemption Increase Emergency Act of 2007”.

Sec. 1052. Section 47-1806.02 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (f)(1)(A) is amended by striking the phrase “\$1,500” and inserting the phrase “\$1,675, increased annually, beginning January 1, 2009, by the cost-of-living adjustment (if the adjustment does not result in a multiple of \$50, rounded to the next lowest multiple of \$50)” in its place.

(b) Subsection (i) is amended by striking the phrase “\$1,500” and inserting the phrase “\$1,675, increased annually, beginning January 1, 2009, by the cost-of-living adjustment (if the adjustment does not result in a multiple of \$50, rounded to the next lowest multiple of \$50)” in its place.

Sec. 1053. Applicability.

This subtitle shall apply as of January 1, 2008.

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SUBTITLE G. SMALL BUSINESS COMMERCIAL PROPERTY TAX RELIEF.

Sec. 1061. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Small Business Commercial Property Tax Relief Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 1062. The Council reserves \$11.073 million in unallocated fiscal year 2008 local funds for commercial property tax relief for small businesses.

SUBTITLE H. GREATER SOUTHEAST COMMUNITY HOSPITAL CAPITAL EQUIPMENT FUND.

Sec. 1071. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Greater Southeast Community Hospital Capital Equipment Fund Establishment Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 1072. Establishment of Greater Southeast Community Hospital Capital Equipment Fund.

(a) There is established as a nonlapsing fund the Greater Southeast Community Hospital Capital Equipment Fund ("Fund"), the funds of which shall be used by the Mayor for the sole purpose of purchasing and maintaining capital equipment at Greater Southeast Community Hospital.

(b)(1) If the Chief Financial Officer of the District of Columbia certifies, through a revised quarterly revenue estimate for fiscal year 2008, that local funds exceed the annual revenue estimates incorporated in the approved fiscal year 2008 budget and financial plan, any allocation of those additional revenues shall include a deposit into the Fund of an amount equal to the revenue generated by taxes and assessments of the properties in the District of Columbia described as Lots 3 and 4, Square 5919.

(2) The Fund may also receive monies from appropriations, federal grants, and revenues from any other source.

(3) All funds deposited into the Fund shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall be continually available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsection (a) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

(c) The Mayor shall conduct an annual audit of all income and expenditures of the Fund and provide the annual report to the Council.

Sec. 1073. Section 47-1050(a)(1) of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended by striking the phrase "Tax Year 2020" and inserting the phrase "Tax Year 2007" in its place.

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TITLE II. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND REGULATION
SUBTITLE A. RENTAL HOUSING OPERATIONS TRANSFER ACT.

Sec. 2001. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Rental Housing Operations Transfer Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 2002. Section 307(b) of the Rental Housing Conversion and Sale Act of 1980, effective September 10, 1980 (D.C. Law 3-86; D.C. Official Code § 42-3403.07(b)), is amended as follows:

(a) Paragraph (1) is amended to read as follows:

"(1) An amount not to exceed 33% of the funds shall be used to fund emergency housing and tenant relocation assistance;"

(b) Paragraph (2) is amended as follows:

(1) Strike the phrase "amount not to exceed 50% of the funds deposited" and insert the phrase "amount not to exceed 33% of the funds deposited" in its place.

(2) Strike the period at the end and insert the phrase "; and" in its place.

(c) A new paragraph (3) is added to read as follows:

"(3) An amount not to exceed 33% of the funds shall be utilized by the Office of the Tenant Advocate for the annual administrative and operational purposes of the Office of the Tenant Advocate."

Sec. 2003. The Rental Housing Act of 1985, effective July 17, 1985 (D.C. Law 6-10; D.C. Official Code § 42-3501.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 103(10) (D.C. Official Code § 42-3501.03(10)) is amended to read as follows:

"(10) "Division" means the Rental Accommodations Division or the Rental Conversion and Sale Division established by section 203."

(b) Section 202(d) (D.C. Official Code § 42-3502.02(d)) is amended by striking the phrase "The Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs" and inserting the phrase "the Department of Housing and Community Development" in its place.

(c) Section 203 (D.C. Official Code § 42-3502.03) is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 203. Housing regulation; rental accommodations; rental conversions and sales.

"(a) There is established within the Department of Housing and Community Development, established by Reorganization No. 3 of 1975 (part B of subchapter I of Chapter 15 of Title 1 of the District of Columbia Official Code), the Housing Regulation Administration, which shall have as its head a Housing Regulation Administrator who shall be appointed by, and report directly to, the Director of the Department of Housing and Community Development.

"(b)(1) There is established within the Department of Housing and Community Development the Rental Accommodations Division, which shall have as its head a Rental Administrator who shall be appointed by the Mayor.

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“(2) The Rent Administrator shall possess experience of a technical nature in housing-provider or tenant affairs, or in a field directly related to housing-provider or tenant affairs, and shall report to the Housing Regulation Administrator.

“(3) The Rent Administrator shall be a resident of the District and shall receive annual compensation equivalent to that received by a District employee compensated at the grade of 15 of the District schedule established under Title XI of the District of Columbia Government Comprehensive Merit Personnel Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-139; D.C. Official Code § 1-611.01 *et seq.*).

“(c)(1) There is established within the Department of Housing and Community Development a Rental Conversion and Sale Division, which shall have as its head a Rental Conversion and Sale Administrator who shall report to the Housing Regulation Administrator.

“(2) The Rental Conversion and Sale Administrator shall receive annual compensation equivalent to that received by a District employee compensated at the grade of 15 of the District schedule established under Title XI of the District of Columbia Government Comprehensive Merit Personnel Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-139; D.C. Official Code § 1-611.01 *et seq.*).”.

(d) A new section 203a is added to read as follows:

“Sec. 203a. Transfer of functions of the Rental Accommodations and Conversion Division of the Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs to the Department of Housing and Community Development.

“All positions, property, records, and unexpended balances of appropriations, allocations, assessments, and other funds available or to be made available to the Rental Accommodations and Conversion Division of the Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs relating to the duties and functions assigned to the Division pursuant to section 203(a) are transferred to the Department of Housing and Community Development.”.

Sec. 2004. Applicability.

This subtitle shall apply as of October 1, 2007.

SUBTITLE B. WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEVICE.

Sec. 2011. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Weights and Measures Device Emergency Amendment Act of 2007”.

Sec. 2012. Section 32a of An Act To establish standard weights and measures for the District of Columbia; to define the duties of the Superintendent of Weights, Measures, and Markets of the District of Columbia; and for other purposes, effective December 7, 2004 (D.C. Law 15-205; D.C. Official Code § 37-201.33), is amended by adding a new subsection (d) to read as follows:

“(d) The Mayor may condemn and take out of service any weighing and measuring device

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not properly registered pursuant to this section.”.

SUBTITLE C. MUNICIPAL AGGREGATION FUND.

Sec. 2021. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Municipal Aggregation Fund Amendment Emergency Act of 2007”.

Sec. 2022. Section 115(a)(1A)(B) of the Retail Electric Competition and Consumer Protection Act of 1999, effective May 9, 2000 (D.C. Law 13-107; D.C. Official Code § 34-1515(a)(1A)(B)), is amended by striking the phrase “, not to exceed \$85,000,”.

SUBTITLE D. YOUTH EMPLOYMENT.

Sec. 2031. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Youth Employment Amendment Emergency Act of 2007”.

Sec. 2032. Section 3(a) of the Youth Employment Act of 1979, effective October 20, 2005 (D.C. Law 16-33; D.C. Official Code § 32-242(a)), is amended by striking the phrase “ages of 16” and inserting the phrase “ages of 14” in its place.

SUBTITLE E. UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ADMINISTRATION.

Sec. 2041. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Unemployment Compensation Administration Improvement Emergency Amendment Act of 2007”.

Sec. 2042. The District of Columbia Unemployment Compensation Act, approved August 28, 1935 (49 Stat. 946; D.C. Official Code § 51-101 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 3(m) (D.C. Official Code § 51-103(m)) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (3) is amended by striking the phrase “, the assessment rate for the calendar year commencing after January 1 of the following calendar year” and inserting the phrase “commencing after December 31, 2008, the assessment rate for the next calendar year” in its place.

(2) A new paragraph (4) is added to read as follows:

“(4)(A) For calendar quarters commencing after September 30, 2007, if the administrative funding assessments required by paragraph (1) of this subsection are not paid when due, there shall be added thereto interest at the rate of 1.5% per month, or fraction thereof, from the date the assessments became due until paid. Interest shall not be charged to a court-appointed fiduciary when the assessment payments are not paid timely because of a court order.

“(B) If an administrative funding assessment is not paid on or before the first

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day of the second month following the close of the calendar quarter for which it is due, there shall be added a penalty of 10% of the amount due. The penalty shall not be less than \$100; provided, that for good cause shown, the penalty may be waived by the Director of the Department of Employment Services.”.

(b) Section 14 (D.C. Official Code § 51-114) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (b) is amended as follows:

(A) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase “deposit fund in the Treasury of the United States” and inserting the phrase “fund in the General Fund of the District of Columbia ” in its place.

(B) Paragraph (4) is amended by striking the third, fourth, and fifth sentences and inserting the sentence “The interest on the funds in the Fund shall be credited to the Fund.” in their place.

(2) Subsection (d)(2)(A) is amended by adding a new sentence at the end to read as follows:

“The interest on the funds in the Administrative Assessment Account shall be credited to the Administrative Assessment Account.”.

SUBTITLE F. UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FUND APPROPRIATION.

Sec. 2051. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Unemployment Compensation Fund Appropriation Authorization Emergency Act of 2007”.

Sec. 2052. From the funds distributed to the District of Columbia account in the Unemployment Compensation Trust Fund, pursuant to section 903(d) of the Social Security Act, approved August 5, 1954 (68 Stat. 670; 42 U.S.C. §1103(d)), there is authorized to be appropriated \$10,464,401, which the Mayor shall use in fiscal year 2008 to:

(1) Install an imaging system for electronic storage and retrieval of Unemployment Compensation documents;

(2) Develop and implement a Disaster Recovery and Continuity of Operations Plan for the Unemployment Compensation Program; and

(3) Migrate the Unemployment Compensation Automated Tax and Automated Benefits Systems from a mainframe platform to a client server platform.

SUBTITLE G. DEPARTMENT OF SMALL AND LOCAL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT.

Sec. 2061. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Department of Small and Local Business Development Emergency Amendment Act of 2007”.

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Sec. 2062. The Small, Local, and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Development and Assistance Act of 2005, effective October 20, 2005 (D.C. Law 16-33; D.C. Official Code § 2-218.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 2313 (D.C. Official Code § 2-218.13) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a) is amended to read as follows:

“(a)(1) It shall be the goal and responsibility of the Department to stimulate and foster the economic growth and development of businesses based in and serving the District of Columbia, particularly certified business enterprises, with the intended goals of:

“(A) Stimulating and expanding the local tax base of the District of Columbia;

“(B) Increasing the number of viable employment opportunities for District residents; and

“(C) Extending economic prosperity to local business owners, their employees, and the communities they serve.

“(2) Through advocacy, business development programs, and technical assistance offerings, the Department shall seek to maximize opportunities for certified business enterprises to participate in:

“(A) The District’s contracting and procurement process;

“(B) The District’s economic development activities; and

“(C) Federal and private sector business opportunities that occur in the District of Columbia.”.

(2) Subsection (c)(1) is amended to read as follows:

“(1) The Office of Certification, Compliance, and Enforcement, which shall be responsible for:

“(A) Reviewing applications for certification as a:

“(i) Local business enterprise;

“(ii) Small business enterprise;

“(iii) Disadvantaged business enterprise;

“(iv) Resident-owned business;

“(v) Longtime resident business; or

“(vi) Local business enterprise with its principal office located in an enterprise zone;

“(B) Providing information and assistance to business enterprises regarding the certification and application process;

“(C) Determining a business enterprise’s or joint venture’s initial eligibility for certification under Part D and reviewing and determining the continued eligibility of business enterprises and joint ventures certified under Part D;

“(D) Determining the percentage or the dollar amount of a project performed by a joint venture that may be attributed toward an agency’s percentage goal;

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“(E) Providing information and assistance to the Commission in performance of its appeals and audit functions under section 2322;

“(F) Monitoring agency contracting and procurement activities to the extent those activities are related to the achievement of goals related to contracting with, and procuring from, certified business enterprises;

“(G) Monitoring third-party contracting and procurement activities to the extent those activities are related to the achievement of the goals set forth in section 2341;

“(H) Preparing the quarterly and annual reports of the Department required by section 2354;

“(I) Reviewing the quarterly and annual reports of agencies required by section 2353; and

“(J) Reviewing any reports as may be required of third parties;”.

(b) Section 2321(f)(4) (D.C. Official Code § 2-218.21(f)(4)) is amended by striking the phrase “for the certification of joint ventures”.

(c) Section 2322(1) and (2) (D.C. Official Code § 2-218.22(1) and (2)) is amended to read as follows:

“(1) Hear all requested appeals by business enterprises upon the denial of an application for initial certification, reinstatement, or renewal by the Department;

“(2) Perform regular and routine audits of the Department’s certification process through a random review of 5 applications per month; and ”.

(d) Section 2324(b) (D.C. Official Code § 2-218.24(b)) is amended by striking the phrase “The Commission shall” and inserting the phrase “The Department shall and the Commission may” in its place.

(e) Part D is amended by adding a new subpart 5 to read as follows:

“Subpart 5. Financial Assistance.

“Sec. 2375. Small Business Micro Loan Fund.

“(a) For the purposes of this section, the term:

“(1) “Eligible recipient” means businesses certified as small business enterprises pursuant to section 2332 and disadvantaged business enterprises pursuant to section 2333.

“(2) “Fund” means the Small Business Micro Loan Fund.

“(b) There is established as a nonlapsing fund the Small Business Micro Loan Fund, which shall be used solely to provide financial assistance, including loans and loan guarantees, to eligible recipients.

“(c)(1) All funds deposited into the Fund shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall be continually available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsection (b) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

“(2) Any penalties assessed by the Department pursuant to section 2348 and any civil penalties imposed pursuant to 2363(c) shall be collected by the Department and deposited into the Fund.

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“(c) Preference for financial assistance shall be given to:

“(1) Eligible recipients that are also certified as resident-owned businesses pursuant to section 2335; or

“(2) Eligible recipients that serve, or whose principal office is located in:

“(A) A DC Main Street corridor;

“(B) A Neighborhood Investment Program Target Area; or

“(C) Another area identified by the Mayor for economic development or commercial revitalization.

“(d) Within 90 days of the effective date of the Fiscal Year 2008 Budget Support Emergency Act of 2007, passed on emergency basis on July 10, 2007 (Enrolled version of Bill 17-___), the Mayor shall issue rules to implement the provisions of this section. The Mayor shall submit the proposed rules to the Council for a 45-day period of review, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, legal holidays, and days of Council recess. If the Council does not approve or disapprove the proposed rules, in whole or in part, by resolution, within the 45-day review period, the proposed rules shall be deemed approved.”.

(f) Section 2351 (D.C. Official Code § 2-218.51) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (c) is repealed.

(2) Subsection (d)(2) is amended by striking the word “Commission” and inserting the word “Director” in its place.

(g) Section 2361 (D.C. Official Code § 2-218.61) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (b)(1) is amended to read as follows:

“(1) An enterprise seeking to be certified as a local, small, or disadvantaged business enterprise, as a resident-owned business, or as a local business enterprise with its principal office located in an enterprise zone shall file with the Department a written application on such form as may be prescribed by the Department.”.

(2) Subsection (c) is amended as follows:

(A) The introductory language is amended by striking the word “Commission” and inserting the word “Department” in its place.

(B) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the word “Commission” and inserting the word “Department” in its place.

(3) Subsection (e) is amended by striking the word “Commission” and inserting the word “Department” in its place.

(h) Section 2362(a)(3) (D.C. Official Code § 2-218.62(a)(3)) is amended by striking the phrase “the Commission will” and inserting the phrase “it will” in its place.

(i) Section 2363 (D.C. Official Code § 2-218.63) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (c) is amended by striking the phrase “to the Commission.” and inserting the phrase “to the Department or to the Commission.” in its place.

(2) Subsection (e) is amended by striking the phrase “by the commission”.

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(j) Section 2371(a) (D.C. Official Code § 2-218.71(a)) is amended by striking the phrase “by the Commission” wherever it appears and inserting the phrase “pursuant to Part D” in its place.

SUBTITLE H. RELIABLE ENERGY TRUST FUND EMERGENCY AMENDMENT
ACT OF 2007.

Sec. 2071. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Reliable Energy Trust Fund Emergency Amendment Act of 2007”.

Sec. 2072. Section 114 of the Retail Electric Competition and Consumer Protection Act of 1999, effective May 9, 2000 (D.C. Law 13-107; D.C. Official Code § 34-1514), is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (a)(4) is amended by striking the word “programs” and inserting the phrase “programs, including research, reports, and studies,” in its place.

(b) Subsection (c) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (2)(B) is amended by adding a new sub-subparagraph (iii-I) to read as follows:

“(iii-I) Research, studies, and reports;”.

(2) A new paragraph (4) is added to read as follows:

“(4)(A) The Commission shall study, and issue a report on, the current state of the energy markets in the District and market opportunities for the implementation of energy efficiency and renewable energy programs. The Commission may conduct additional studies and issue additional reports in the future for the effective implementation and administration of programs supported by the Reliable Energy Trust Fund.

“(B) In the discretion of the Commission, the studies and reports authorized under subparagraph (A) of this paragraph may be administered by the District of Columbia Office of Energy, or its successor agency.

“(C) Expenditures under this paragraph shall not exceed \$200,000 in a fiscal year.”.

SUBTITLE I. NATURAL GAS TRUST FUND EMERGENCY AMENDMENT ACT
OF 2007.

Sec. 2081. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Natural Gas Trust Fund Emergency Amendment Act of 2007”.

Sec. 2082. Section 101 of the Omnibus Utility Amendment Act of 2004, effective April 12, 2005 (D.C. Law 15-342; D.C. Official Code § 34-1651), is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (a)(3) is amended by striking the word “programs” and inserting the

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phrase "programs, including research, reports, and studies," in its place.

(b) Subsection (d) is amended by adding a new paragraph (1A) to read as follows:

"(1A) Research, studies, and reports;"

(c) A new subsection (f) is added to read as follows:

"(f)(1) The Commission shall study, and issue a report on, the current state of the energy markets in the District and market opportunities for the implementation of energy efficiency and renewable energy programs. The Commission may conduct additional studies and issue additional reports in the future for the effective implementation and administration of programs supported by the Natural Gas Trust Fund.

"(2) In the discretion of the Commission, the studies and reports authorized under paragraph (1) of this subsection may be administered by the District of Columbia Office of Energy, or its successor agency.

"(3) Expenditures under this section shall not exceed \$200,000 in a fiscal year."

SUBTITLE J. AFFORDABLE HOUSING AMENDMENT.

Sec. 2091. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Affordable Housing Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 2092. Section 2052(b)(1)(B) of the Deed Transfer and Recordation Amendment Act of 2006, effective March 2, 2007 (D.C. Law 16-192; 53 DCR 6899), is amended to read as follows:

"(B) For the purposes of this paragraph, the term "affordable" means a housing unit for which the occupying household:

"(i) If not the owner of the unit, will pay no more than 30% of its income on gross housing costs; or

"(ii) If the owner of the unit, will pay no more than 35% of its income on mortgage payments, property taxes, and homeowners insurance payments."

SUBTITLE K. COMPREHENSIVE HOUSING TASK FORCE FUND AUTHORIZED EXPENDITURES.

Sec. 2101. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Fiscal Year 2008 Comprehensive Housing Task Force Fund Authorized Expenditures Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 2102. Section 2052 of the Fiscal Year 2007 Budget Support Act of 2006, effective March 2, 2007 (D.C. Law 16-192; to be codified at D.C. Official Code § 42-2855.01), is amended by adding a new subsection (c) to read as follows:

"(c) The authorized expenditures for fiscal year 2008 from the Comprehensive Housing Task Force Fund are as follows:

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“(1) The amount of \$17.95 million to the Department of Human Services for homeless housing and emergency rental assistance;

“(2) The amount of \$250,000 to the Deputy Mayor of Planning and Economic Development for the full-time equivalent costs of administering the Community Land Trust;

“(3) The amount of \$5.5 million to the Department of Mental Health for mental health housing; and

“(4) The amount of \$4.2 million to the District Department of the Environment for the low-income housing energy assistance program.”.

SUBTITLE L. CENTRALIZED AFFORDABLE WORKFORCE HOUSING UNIT
WAIT LIST AND HOUSING DEMAND STUDY.

Sec. 2111. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Centralized Affordable Workforce Housing Unit Emergency Amendment Act of 2007”.

Sec. 2112. Section 102 of the Workforce Housing Production Program Approval Act of 2006, effective March 14, 2007 (D.C. Law 16-278; 54 DCR 895), is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (f) is amended to read as follows:

“(f)(1) The Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development shall aggressively market the pilot program to employees of the District government and shall be responsible for:

“(A) Maintaining a wait list of prospective District employee and District instrumentality employee buyers of workforce housing units being developed with District government funds, or on District government land;

“(B) Providing the Council with quarterly reports that detail:

“(i) The number of people on the wait list by household income and whether a person is employed at a District government department, independent agency, or instrumentality; and

“(ii) The location, price, and expected delivery date of workforce housing units currently being developed with District government funds or on District land; and

“(C) Notifying persons on the wait list of when units are available for purchase or rent.

“(2) The wait list may include non-District government employees; and

“(3) The Mayor may utilize his discretion in the prioritization of persons on the wait list.”.

(b) A new subsection (f-1) is added to read as follows:

“(f-1) The Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development shall conduct a survey of employees of the District government and its instrumentalities to assess the demand for workforce housing, rental and ownership, in the District of Columbia among these employees. The Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development shall submit the results of the

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survey to the Council no later than December 31, 2007.”.

SUBTITLE M. NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTMENT AMENDMENT.

Sec. 2131. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Neighborhood Investment Emergency Amendment Act of 2007”.

Sec. 2132. Section 2 of the Neighborhood Investment Act of 2004, effective March 30, 2004 (D.C. Law 15-131; D.C. Official Code § 6-1071), is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (a) is amended by striking the phrase “Investment Fund.” and inserting the phrase “Investment Fund. The purposes of the Neighborhood Investment Fund shall be to fund the development and implementation of neighborhood investment plans under section 3 and to finance and assist revitalization activities that will benefit residents of Neighborhood Program Target Areas designated in section 4.” in its place.

(b) Subsection (b) is amended by adding the following sentence at the end:

“The requested expenditures shall be consistent with the purposes of the Neighborhood Investment Fund set forth in subsection (a) of this section.”.

(c) A new subsection (g) is added to read as follows:

“(g) The Mayor may make loans or grants from the Neighborhood Investment Fund to facilitate revitalization activities in the Neighborhood Program Target Areas designated in section 4.”.

SUBTITLE N. WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PLAN CONCEPTUAL SUBMISSION.

Sec. 2141. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Workforce Development Plan Conceptual Submission Emergency Act of 2007”.

Sec. 2142. No later than November 1, 2007, the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development shall submit to the Council conceptual development plans for the redevelopment of 2 surplus District properties as affordable workforce housing targeting District of Columbia public school and public charter school teachers. The plans for the sites shall not include the fee simple sale of the land to non-governmental entities.

SUBTITLE O. NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTMENT OF MAIN STREET PROGRAMS.

Sec. 2151. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Neighborhood Investment of Main Street Programs Emergency Act of 2007”.

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Sec. 2152. (a) By October 15, 2007, the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development shall make an intra-District transfer of \$400,000 from the Neighborhood Investment Fund to the Main Streets program for the purpose of subsidizing the executive director's salary.

(b) The Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development shall make an intra-District transfer of \$400,000 from the Neighborhood Investment Fund to the Small, Local, Development Business Enterprise for the purpose of creating a new Main Street in each of Wards 4, 7, and 8.

SUBTITLE P. HISTORIC PRESERVATION DESIGN GUIDELINES DESIGNATED APPROPRIATION ALLOCATION.

Sec. 2201. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Historic Preservation Design Guidelines Designated Appropriation Allocation Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 2202. Funds for publication of historic preservation guidelines.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Targeted Homeowner Grant program, established by the Historic Landmark and Historic District Protection Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-144; D.C. Official Code § 6-1101 *et seq.*), up to \$200,000 in local funds shall be allocated to the Office of Planning for the promulgation and publication of updated historic preservation design guidelines.

SUBTITLE Q. TARGETED HISTORIC TAX CREDIT REPEAL.

Sec. 2301. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Targeted Historic Tax Credit Repeal Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 2302. Sections 47-1806.08, 47-1806.08a, 47-1806.08b, 47-1806.08c, 47-1806.08d, 47-1806.08e, 47-1806.08f, and 47-1806.08g of the District of Columbia Official Code are repealed.

SUBTITLE R. NEW COMMUNITIES FINANCING.

Sec. 2401. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "New Communities Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 2402. The Housing Production Trust Fund Act of 1988, effective March 16, 1989 (D.C. Law 7-202; D.C. Official Code § 42-2801 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 3(b-2) (D.C. Official Code § 42-2802(b-2)) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (1) is amended as follows:

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(A) Strike the phrase "An amount not to exceed \$12 million" and insert the phrase "An amount not to exceed \$16 million" in its place.

(B) Strike the phrase "this section" and insert the phrase "this section; provided, that securitization above \$16 million may only occur upon certification by the Mayor that resources are needed to fulfill the New Communities projects" in its place.

(2) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase "\$12 million" and inserting the phrase "\$16 million" in its place.

(b) Section 203(b) (D.C. Official Code § 42-2812.03(b)) is amended by striking the phrase "\$12 million" and inserting the phrase "\$16 million" in its place.

TITLE III. PUBLIC SAFETY AND JUSTICE

SUBTITLE A. METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT GRANT-MAKING AUTHORITY.

Sec. 3001. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Metropolitan Police Department Grant-Making Authority Clarification Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 3002. Section 9 of An Act To authorize certain programs and activities of the government of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, approved October 26, 1973 (87 Stat. 505; D.C. Official Code § 5-133.14), is amended as follows:

(a) Designate the existing text as subsection (a).

(b) New subsections (b) and (c) are added to read as follows:

"(b) Notwithstanding any other law, rule, or regulation, beginning in fiscal year 2007, the Chief of Police may issue grants to individuals or organizations from local funds for the prevention and detection of crime.

"(c) The Chief of Police, pursuant to Title I of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, approved October 21, 1968 (82 Stat. 1204; D.C. Official Code § 2-501 *et seq.*), may issue rules to implement the provisions of this section."

SUBTITLE B. CRIME VICTIMS ASSISTANCE FUND AMENDMENT AND SHELTER AND TRANSITIONAL HOUSING FOR VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE FUND.

Sec. 3011. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Crime Victims Assistance Fund and Shelter and Transitional Housing for Victims of Domestic Violence Fund Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 3012. Section 16a of the Victims of Violent Crime Compensation Act of 1996, effective October 1, 2002 (D.C. Law 14-190; D.C. Official Code § 4-515.01), is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (a) is amended as follows:

(1) Strike the phrase "nonlapsing," and insert the phrase "nonlapsing, interest-bearing," in its place.

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(2) Strike the phrase "Justice Grants Administration" and insert the phrase "Office of Victim Services" in its place.

(b) A new subsection (a-1) is added to read as follows:

"(a-1) The Office of the Chief Financial Officer shall calculate the amount of interest earned by funds accounted for in the Crime Victims Assistance Fund for fiscal year 2003 through fiscal year 2007 and shall deposit that amount in the fund on or before October 1, 2007."

Sec. 3013. Shelter and Transitional Housing for Victims of Domestic Violence Fund.

(a) For the purposes of this section, the term:

(1) "Fund" means the Shelter and Transitional Housing for Victims of Domestic Violence Fund.

(2) "Operating expenses" means:

(A) Those costs incurred in providing counseling and case management to victims of domestic violence and their children; and

(B) Monthly rent, utilities, and building maintenance for the residential facilities in which victims of domestic violence and their children are housed.

(b) There is established as a nonlapsing, interest-bearing fund the Shelter and Transitional Housing for Victims of Domestic Violence Fund, which shall be administered by the Office of Victim Services and used for the purpose of awarding grants to organizations that provide services to victims of domestic violence in emergency shelters and transitional housing to reimburse them for their operating expenses.

(c) All funds deposited into the Fund shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall be continually available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsection (b) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

(d) The Chief Financial Officer shall transfer \$3.7 million from the Crime Victims Assistance Fund to the Fund on or before October 1, 2007. Other funds may be deposited into the Fund from sources identified by District law.

SUBTITLE C. CRITICAL EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS.

Sec. 3021. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Critical Emergency Communications Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 3022. The Emergency and Non-Emergency Number Telephone Calling Systems Fund Act of 2000, effective October 19, 2000 (D.C. Law 13-172; D.C. Official Code § 34-1801 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 603 (D.C. Official Code § 34-1802) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a) is amended by striking the phrase "The Fund shall be funded by a tax imposed under section 604" and inserting the phrase "The Fund shall be funded by a tax

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imposed under section 604 and from sources identified in section 604a" in its place.

(2) A new subsection (b-1) is added to read as follows:

"(b-1) As of October 1, 2009, no more than 10 full-time equivalent employees shall be funded by the Fund. Beginning with the proposed budget for fiscal year 2009, the Mayor shall begin the transition of full-time equivalent employees funded by the Fund so that no more than 10 remain as of October 1, 2009."

(b) A new section 604a is added to read as follows:

"Sec. 604a. Additional revenues.

"(a) All revenues from the following sources in excess of the revenue level for each source as included in the annual budget transmitted by the Mayor and approved by the Council for a fiscal year shall be deposited in the Fund:

"(1) The Fire and Emergency Medical Services Department Special Events Fund;

"(2) The Fire and Emergency Medical Services Department Ambulance Revenue;

"(3) Steam (including arrearage payments) for the Correctional Treatment

Facility;

"(4) Federal reimbursement for emergency planning and security costs; and

"(5) Photo enforcement (red light and speeding)

"(b) Revenues pursuant to sources identified in D.C. Official Code § 28-3911(a) and any funds in the District of Columbia Consumer Protection Fund, established by D.C. Official Code § 28-3911, that exceed the asset maximum as of May 15, 2007, for the fund set forth in that section shall be deposited in the Fund."

(c) A new section 605b is added to read as follows:

"Sec. 605b. Replacement of equipment.

"No later than October 1, 2007, the Office of Unified Communications shall establish a schedule for the replacement of equipment for the 911 system. The schedule shall be updated on February 1 of each subsequent year. "

Sec. 3023. Section 28-3911(a) of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended by striking the phrase "General Fund of the District of Columbia" and inserting the phrase "Emergency and Non-Emergency Number Telephone Calling Systems Fund, established by § 34-1802" in its place.

SUBTITLE D. CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES.

Sec. 3031. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Civil Legal Services Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 3032. Funding for civil legal services.

(a) Subject to the availability of appropriations, the Office of the Attorney General shall award a grant to the District of Columbia Bar Foundation ("Bar Foundation") in fiscal year 2008

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and each subsequent fiscal year for the purpose of the Bar Foundation providing support to nonprofit organizations that deliver civil legal services to low-income and under-served District residents, including funds for a shared legal interpreter bank.

(b) The Office of the Attorney General shall permit the Bar Foundation to use up to 5% of the grant awarded in each fiscal year for reasonable administrative expenses associated with the provision of support to the nonprofit organizations.

(c) The amount of the grant to be awarded in each fiscal year shall be specified by an act of the Council.

Sec. 3033. The District of Columbia Poverty Lawyer Loan Assistance Repayment Program Act of 2006, effective March 2, 2007 (D.C. Law 16-203; to be codified at D.C. Official Code § 1-308.21 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 2 (to be codified at D.C. Official Code § 1-308.21) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (2) is amended to read as follows:

“(2) “Administrator” means the entity designated to administer the Program pursuant to section 3.”.

(2) Paragraph (6) is amended by striking the phrase “Attorney General” and inserting the word “Administrator” in its place.

(b) Section 3 (to be codified at D.C. Official Code § 1-308.22) is amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 3. Establishment of the District of Columbia Poverty Lawyer Loan Assistance Repayment Program.

“(a) The Attorney General shall establish a District of Columbia Poverty Lawyer Loan Assistance Repayment Program. The sole purpose of the Program shall be to provide loan repayment assistance to lawyers working in eligible employment.

“(b) Funding for the Program shall be allocated to the Office of the Attorney General, and the amount of funding for the Program in each fiscal year shall be specified by an act of the Council.

“(c)(1) The Attorney General may designate a third party to serve as the Administrator.

“(2) For fiscal year 2008, the Attorney General shall designate the District of Columbia Bar Foundation as the Administrator.

(3) After fiscal year 2008, in lieu of designating a third party to serve as the Administrator, the Attorney General may serve as the Administrator.

“(d)(1) If the Attorney General designates a third party as the Administrator, the Attorney General may provide funding for the Program by awarding a grant to the third party.

“(2) The grant shall be nonlapsing, and interest earned by the third-party Administrator on grant funds shall remain available for use by the Administrator for the purposes of the Program, without fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress in an appropriations act.

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“(3) All interest shall be accounted for and reflected in the annual finance and management audit required by section 4(d).

“(4) The Attorney General shall permit the third party to use up to 5% of the grant for reasonable administrative expenses associated with administering the Program.”.

(c) Section 4 (to be codified at D.C. Official Code § 1-308.23) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a) is amended to read as follows:

“(a) The Administrator shall:

“(1) Establish an application and eligibility review process for the Program, including a semiannual review of the continued eligibility of participants;

“(2) Certify a list of eligible employment; and

“(3) Determine levels of participant contribution.”.

(2) Subsection (b) is repealed.

SUBTITLE E. COMMUNICATIONS REPORTS.

Sec. 3041. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Communications Reports Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 3042. Communications reports.

By October 1, 2008, the Office of the Attorney General, the Metropolitan Police Department, the Fire and Emergency Medical Services Department, the Department of Corrections, the Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency, the Office of Administrative Hearings, and the Office of Unified Communications shall each provide a report to the Council on its efforts to identify efficiencies and reduce telephone and communications costs, including:

(1) Identification of the number of active phone lines within the agency and used by the agency;

(2) Identification of the service provider and the rate for each active phone line; and

(3) Strategies to implement cost-savings.

SUBTITLE F. FEMS SPECIAL EVENTS FEE FUND.

Sec. 3051. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "FEMS Special Events Fee Fund Establishment Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 3052. FEMS Special Events Fee Fund.

(a) There is established as a nonlapsing fund the FEMS Special Events Fee Fund ("Fund") to be used for the purposes set forth in subsection (b) of this section and into which shall be deposited all fees assessed and collected under D.C. Official Code § 47-2826 to cover

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the costs of the Fire and Emergency Medical Services Department in providing services for special events.

(b) The Fund shall be used for expenses related to the Fire and Emergency Medical Services Department's provision of services for special events, including:

- (1) Personnel costs;
- (2) Equipment;
- (3) Supplies;
- (4) Training;
- (5) Risk reduction; and
- (6) Repairs and maintenance of equipment and supplies.

(c) All funds deposited into the Fund shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall be continually available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsection (b) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

TITLE IV. PUBLIC EDUCATION SYSTEM

SUBTITLE A. UNIFORM PER STUDENT FUNDING FORMULA FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS.

Sec. 4001. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Uniform Per Student Funding Formula for Public Schools and Public Charter Schools Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 4002. The Uniform Per Student Funding Formula for Public Schools and Public Charter Schools Act of 1998, effective March 26, 1999 (D.C. Law 12-207; D.C. Official Code § 38-2901 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 102 (D.C. Official Code § 38-2901) is amended as follows:

(1) A new paragraph (6A) is added to read as follows:

"(6A) "Intensive Program of Special Education Services" means specialized special education services of at least 30 hours per student per week for students with one or more disabling conditions in a self-contained setting during regular school hours."

(2) A new paragraph (10B) is added to read as follows:

"(10B) "Self-Contained (Dedicated) Special Education School" means a school that has the capacity to provide all the facilities and services needed to meet the educational and therapeutic needs of its students, which may share a campus or only a building with a general education school."

(b) Section 104 (D.C. Official Code § 38-2903) is amended by striking the phrase "\$8,002.06 per student for FY 2007" and inserting the phrase "\$8,322.00 per student for fiscal year 2008" in its place.

(c) Section 105 (D.C. Official Code § 38-2904) is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 105. Weightings applied to counts of students enrolled at certain grade levels.

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"The student counts at certain grade levels and in certain programs shall be weighted to provide an amount per student differing from the basic foundation level in accordance with the following schedule:

"Grade Level	Weighting	Per Pupil Allocation in FY 2008
"Pre-School	1.16	\$9,654
"Pre-Kindergarten	1.16	\$9,654
"Kindergarten	1.16	\$9,654
"Grades 1-3	1.03	\$8,572
"Grades 4-5	1.00	\$8,322
"Ungraded ES	1.03	\$8,572
"Grades 6-8	1.00	\$8,322
"Ungraded MS/JHS	1.00	\$8,322
"Grades 9-12	1.17	\$9,737
"Ungraded SHS	1.17	\$9,737
"Alternative Program	1.23	\$10,236
"Special ed schools	1.17	\$9,737
"Adult	0.75	\$6,242."

(d) Section 106(c) (D.C. Official Code § 38-2905(c)) is amended to read as follows:

"(c) These supplemental allocations shall be calculated by applying weightings to the foundation level as follows:

"Special Needs Add-ons:

Level/Program	Definition	Weighting	Per Pupil Supplemental FY 2008
Level 1: Special Education	Eight hours or less per week of specialized services	0.54	\$4,494
Level 2: Special Education	More than 8 hours and less than or equal to 16 hours per school week of specialized services	0.82	\$6,824
Level 3: Special Education	More than 16 hours and less than or equal to 24 hours per school week of specialized services	1.41	\$11,734
Level 4: Special Education	More than 24 hours per week which may include instruction in a self-contained (dedicated) special education school	2.47	\$20,556

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	other than residential placement		
LEP/NEP	Limited and non-English proficient students	0.40	\$3,329
Summer	An accelerated instructional program in the summer for students who do not meet literacy standards pursuant to promotion policies of the District of Columbia Public Schools and public charter schools	0.17	\$1,415
Residential	D.C. Public School or public charter school that provides students with room and board in a residential setting, in addition to their instructional program	1.70	\$14,148

“Residential Add-ons:

Level/Program	Definition	Weighting	Per Pupil Supplemental FY 2008
Level 1: Special Education - Residential	Additional funding to support the after-hours level 1 special education needs of students living in a D.C. Public School or public charter school that provides students with room and board in a residential setting	0.374	\$3,112
Level 2: Special Education - Residential	Additional funding to support the after-hours level 2 special education needs of students living in a D.C. Public School or public charter school that provides	1.360	\$11,318

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	students with room and board in a residential setting		
Level 3: Special Education - Residential	Additional funding to support the after-hours level 3 special education needs of students living in a D.C. Public School or public charter school that provides students with room and board in a residential setting	2.941	\$24,475
Level 4: Special Education - Residential	Additional funding to support the after-hours level 4 special instructional needs of limited and non-English proficient students living in a D.C. Public School or public charter school that provides students with room and board in a residential setting	2.924	\$24,334
Level 5: Special Education - Residential	Residential placement	9.40	\$78,228
LEP/NEP - Residential	Additional funding to support the after-hours Limited and non-English proficiency needs of students living in a D.C. Public School or public charter school that provides students with room and board in a residential setting	0.68	\$5,659

(e) Section 107 (D.C. Official Code § 38-2906) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a) is amended to read as follows:

“(a) Annual appropriations for DCPS pursuant to the Formula shall equal the total estimated costs for the number of resident students projected to be enrolled in DCPS during the fiscal year for which the appropriation is made; provided, that for fiscal year 2008, the projected

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change in enrollment shall equal the average annual change in enrollment for the preceding 3 years."

(2) Subsection (d)(2) is amended by striking the phrase "for the annual appropriation for the following fiscal year and".

SUBTITLE B. THE SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING AND EDUCATIONAL DATA WAREHOUSE SYSTEM.

Sec. 4011. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Office of the State Superintendent of Education Special Education Supplemental Funding and Educational Data Warehouse Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 4012. The State Education Office Establishment Act of 2000, effective October 21, 2000 (D.C. Law 13-176; D.C. Official Code § 38-2601 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 3(b) (D.C. Official Code § 38-2602(b)) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (5) is amended by striking the word "and" at the end.

(2) Paragraph (6) is amended by striking the period and inserting the phrase "; and" in its place.

(3) A new paragraph (7) is added to read as follows:

"(7) Promulgate rules for the administration and implementation of the uniform per student funding formula, pursuant to the Uniform Per Student Funding Formula for Public Schools and Public Charter Schools Act of 1998, effective March 26, 1999 (D.C. Law 12-207; D.C. Official Code § 38-2901 *et seq.*)".

(b) A new section 7c is added to read as follows:

"Sec. 7c. Development of the educational data warehouse system.

"(a) The OSSE, in coordination with the Office of the Chief Technology Officer, shall develop and implement a longitudinal educational data warehouse system ("EDW system") to be used by:

"(1) The OSSE;

"(2) The University of the District of Columbia;

"(3) Public schools;

"(4) Public charter schools;

"(5) Publicly funded educational programs;

"(6) Policymakers;

"(7) Institutions of higher education; and

"(8) Researchers.

"(b) The EDW system shall be used to compile, analyze, research, and organize student, teacher, and school-level data to:

"(1) Facilitate compliance with District of Columbia and federal reporting requirements;

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"(2) Aid in local and state-level policymaking and programming; and

"(3) Improve information exchanges, while maintaining the confidentiality of individual student and staff data, in accordance with District of Columbia and federal confidentiality laws, rules, and regulations.

"(c)(1) The EDW system shall be designed to allow for compatibility with other data systems that currently exist or that are in development in the District of Columbia.

"(2)(A) Upon the request of the State Superintendent, necessary data pertaining to students, teachers, and school levels shall be submitted to the OSSE for the purpose of constructing, updating, or maintaining the EDW system by:

"(i) The University of the District of Columbia;

"(ii) A public school;

"(iii) A public charter school; or

"(iv) An entity administering a publicly funded educational

program.

"(B) The requested data shall be submitted within a reasonable time, as determined by the OSSE, following a request, and in a standardized format to be established by the OSSE.

"(d)(1) All providers of public education in the District of Columbia shall participate in the EDW system, including:

"(A) The University of the District of Columbia;

"(B) Public schools;

"(C) Public charter schools; and

"(D) Entities operating publicly funded educational programs.

"(2) The OSSE shall ensure that technical assistance and training is provided to the staff participating in the EDW system.

"(e)(1) The OSSE shall ensure that a unique identifier is assigned to every student and teacher in a:

"(A) Public school;

"(B) Public charter school; or

"(C) A publicly funded educational program.

"(2) The OSSE shall ensure that a unique identifier is assigned to every student of the University of the District of Columbia.

"(3) A unique identifier shall be assigned to a student the first time that the student receives educational services from a provider of public education in the District of Columbia."

SUBTITLE C. STATE EDUCATION ACTIVITIES FUND.

Sec. 4021. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "State Education Fund Activities Emergency Act of 2007".

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Sec. 4022. Establishment and use of the State Education Activities Fund.

(a) Of the funds deposited in the Non-Departmental account for fiscal year 2008, \$30.577 million shall be reserved in a sub-account designated the State Educational Activities Fund. The purpose of the State Educational Activities Fund shall be to fund the costs of any reorganization of state education functions or public education initiatives, including the cost associated with a higher than projected student enrollment, pursuant to section 107b of the Uniform Per Student Funding Formula for Public Schools and Public Charter Schools Act of 1998, effective April 13, 2005 (D.C. Law 15-348; D.C. Official Code § 38-2906.02).

(b) Upon the request of the Mayor, funds shall be disbursed from the State Education Activities Fund to the District agency responsible for performing state functions; provided, that the Chief Financial Officer certifies the funds necessary to meet the purpose described in subsection (a) of this section and notification is provided to the Council.

SUBTITLE D. STUDENT FUNDING FORMULA ASSESSMENT, EDUCATIONAL DATA WAREHOUSE, AND ENROLLMENT FUND.

Sec. 4031. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Student Funding Formula Assessment, Educational Data Warehouse, and Enrollment Fund Establishment Amendment Emergency Act of 2007”.

Sec. 4032. The District of Columbia School Reform Act of 1995, approved April 26, 1996 (110 Stat. 1321; D.C. Official Code § 38-1800.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 2002 (D.C. Official Code § 38-1800.02) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (17)(A) is repealed.

(2) A new paragraph (25A) is added to read as follows:

“(25A) *Office of the State Superintendent of Education or OSSE.* – The term “Office of the State Superintendent of Education” or “OSSE” means the Office of the State Superintendent of Education established by section 2 of the State Education Office Establishment Act of 2000, effective October 21, 2000 (D.C. Law 13-176; D.C. Official Code § 38-2601).”.

(b) Section 2201(f) (D.C. Official Code § 38-1802.01(f)) is amended to read as follows:

“(f) *Petitions approved by Board of Education* - A public charter school whose petition was approved and charter was granted by the Board of Education shall be deemed to have had its petition approved and charter granted by the Public Charter School Board and shall be subject to the powers and duties granted to the Public Charter School Board as an eligible chartering authority pursuant to sections 2211, 2212, and 2213.”.

(c) Section 2204(c)(19) (D.C. Official Code § 38-1802.04(c)(19)) is amended to read as follows:

“(19) *Participation in educational data warehouse.* – A public charter school shall participate in the longitudinal education data warehouse system established by the Office of the State Superintendent of Education and shall provide data to the OSSE upon request.”.

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(d) Section 2401(b)(3) (D.C. Official Code § 38-1804.01(b)(3)) is amended by adding a new subparagraph (D) to read as follows:

“(D) Notwithstanding paragraph (2) of this subsection:

“(i) The Office of the State Superintendent of Education shall develop a plan to address deficiencies in the current uniform per student funding formula assumptions funding students requiring an intensive program of special education services and to support improved services and the expanded availability of appropriate programs for these students in the public schools and public charter schools, including in self-contained and non-self-contained settings.

“(ii) The OSSE shall study and recommend, prior to the beginning of school year 2007-2008, alternative approaches for funding such students that support the actual costs of services required by a student’s Individual Education Plan.

“(iii) The OSSE may provide supplemental funding, in accordance with the plan, in addition to the uniform per pupil funding formula amount to a special education school serving students in need of an intensive program of special education services who have been diagnosed as having one or more disabling conditions for which the students’ Individual Educational Plans require services in a self-contained setting during the regular school day; provided, that the amount of the total per student funding shall not exceed the negotiated rate for education and related services approved for such students by the Maryland Department of Education.”.

(e) Section 2403(b) (D.C. Official Code § 38-1804.03(b)), is amended to read as follows:

“(b) *Payments to public schools and public charter schools.*

“(1) *Establishment of fund.* — The fund previously established in the General Fund of the District of Columbia as the "Charter School Fund" shall be redesignated the Student Enrollment Fund. Amounts deposited in the Student Enrollment Fund shall be available for expenditure without further appropriation and shall remain available until expended for the purposes described in paragraph (3) of this subsection. Amounts remaining unobligated or unexpended at the end of a fiscal year shall not revert to the General Fund of the District of Columbia.

“(2) *Contents of fund.* — The Student Enrollment Fund shall consist of:

“(A) Unexpended and unobligated amounts appropriated from local funds for public charter schools for each fiscal year that reverted to the General Fund of the District of Columbia, together with any other local funds that the Chief Financial Officer certifies are necessary to effect the purposes of the fund during the fiscal year; provided, that the amount of funds deposited shall not exceed \$8 million in any fiscal year; and

“(B) Any interest earned on such amounts.

“(3) *Purposes of fund.* — The Student Enrollment Fund shall be used to assist public schools and public charter schools in the District of Columbia by providing funding in cases where the total audited enrollment, including enrollment in special needs categories,

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exceeds the projected student enrollment on which the annual appropriation is based in that fiscal year.

“(4) *Expenditures from fund.*—

“(A) Expenditures from the Student Enrollment Fund for enrollment in excess of the annual public charter school projection for any public charter school operating in that fiscal year shall be authorized in cases where the total audited actual enrollment, including enrollment in special needs categories, exceeds the projected student enrollment on which the annual appropriation is based in that fiscal year.

“(B) Expenditures from the Student Enrollment Fund for enrollment in excess of annual public school projections shall be authorized in cases where the total audited actual enrollment exceeds that of the student enrollment on which the annual appropriation is based in that fiscal year.

“(5) *Form of payment.* — Payments under this subsection shall be made by electronic funds transfer from the Student Enrollment Fund to a bank designated by a public charter school.

“(6) *Authorization of appropriations.* — There are authorized to be appropriated to the Chief Financial Officer such sums as may be necessary to effect the purposes of this subsection for each fiscal year.”.

SUBTITLE E. PUBLIC EDUCATION REFORM CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.

Sec. 4041. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Public Education Reform Conforming Emergency Amendments Act of 2007”.

Sec. 4042. (a) Section 102 of the School Modernization Financing Act of 2006, effective June 8, 2006 (D.C. Law 16-123; D.C. Official Code § 38-2971.02), is repealed.

(b) Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as follows:

(1) Section 47-2033 is amended to read as follows:

“§ 47-2033. Dedication of sales tax revenue for the Public School Capital Improvement Fund.

“(a) Beginning in fiscal year 2007, the Chief Financial Officer shall deposit the first amount of nondedicated sales tax revenue collected annually, beginning April 1 of each fiscal year, under Chapter 20 of Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code into the Public School Capital Improvement Fund established under section 101 of the School Modernization Financing Act of 2006, effective June 8, 2006 (D.C. Law 16-123; D.C. Official Code § 38-2971.01), as follows:

“(1) An amount of \$100 million in fiscal year 2007;

“(2) An amount of \$100 million in fiscal year 2008;

“(3) An amount of \$106 million in fiscal year 2009;

“(4) An amount of \$112.359 million in fiscal year 2010;

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“(5) An amount of \$119.102 million in fiscal year 2011; and

“(6) An amount increased annually by the cost-of-construction adjustment for fiscal year 2012, and every fiscal year thereafter.

“(b) For the purposes of this section, the term:

“(1) “Cost-of-construction adjustment” means for any fiscal year an amount equal to \$119.102 million multiplied by the percentage by which the CCI at the start of the preceding fiscal year exceeds the CCI at the start of the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2009.

“(2) “CCI” means for any fiscal year the average of the Cost Construction Index for Washington, DC published by RS Means, or any successor index, as of the close of the 12-month period ending on September 30 of such fiscal year.”.

(2) Section 47-305.02 is amended to read as follows:

“§ 47-305.02. Minimum funding for Office of Public Education Facilities Modernization’s capital budgets to be included in budget and financial plan.

“(a) The Mayor’s submission of proposed budgets to the Council, beginning with the budget for fiscal year 2007, for the Office of Public Education Facilities Modernization’s capital budget shall provide for minimum funding as follows:

“(1) The amount of \$98.299 million for fiscal year 2007;

“(2) The amount of \$89.994 million for fiscal year 2008;

“(3) The amount of \$102.986 million for fiscal year 2009;

“(4) The amount of \$109.544 million for fiscal year 2010;

“(5) The amount of \$116.622 million for fiscal year 2011; and

“(6) An amount increased annually by the cost-of-construction adjustment for fiscal year 2012, and every fiscal year thereafter.

“(b) For the purposes of this section, the term:

“(1) “Cost-of-construction adjustment” for any fiscal year means an amount equal to \$116.622 million, multiplied by the percentage by which the CCI at the start of the preceding fiscal year exceeds the CCI at the start of the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2009.

“(2) “CCI” means for any fiscal year the average of the Cost Construction Index for Washington, DC published by RS Means, or any successor index, as of the close of the 12-month period ending on September 30 of such fiscal year.

“(c) The first portion of the sales tax revenue collected or used, pursuant to this section, during fiscal years 2008, 2009, and 2010 shall be designated for full modernization of a vocational school located in the District of Columbia. Initial planning shall commence in fiscal year 2008 and completion of the full modernization project shall be accomplished by the close of fiscal year 2010.”.

Sec. 4043. The Public Education Reform Amendment Act of 2007, effective June 12, 2007 (D.C. Law 17-9; 54 DCR 4099), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 702 is amended by adding a new subsection (d) to read as follows:

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"(d) Upon the effective date of this act, the Mayor may, upon submission of a written request to the Chief Financial Officer's Office of Budget and Planning, transfer any unspent capital authority for new construction or modernization of schools in prior fiscal years from the capital budget of the District of Columbia Public Schools to the capital budget of the Office of Public Education Facilities Modernization."

(b) Section 804 is repealed.

TITLE V. HUMAN SUPPORT SERVICES

PART A.

SUBTITLE A. REHABILITATION SERVICES PROGRAM.

Sec. 5001. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Rehabilitation Services Program Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 5002. The Rehabilitation Services Program Establishment Act of 2004, effective April 12, 2005 (D.C. Law 15-332; D.C. Official Code § 32-331 *et seq.*), is amended by adding a new section 2a to read as follows:

"Sec. 2a. Grant and contract authority.

"The Rehabilitation Services Program may:

"(1) Receive and administer grants, as necessary, to provide services to assist individuals with disabilities in achieving or maintaining gainful employment; and

"(2) Enter into contracts or other agreements, as necessary, to provide services or support to assist individuals with disabilities in achieving or maintaining gainful employment."

SUBTITLE B. TRANSITIONAL HOUSING, RAPID HOUSING FOR HOMELESS YOUTH, EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE, AND SUPPORTIVE SERVICES EXPENDITURE OF REVENUE.

Sec. 5011. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Transitional Housing, Rapid Housing for Homeless Youth, Emergency Rental Assistance, and Supportive Services Expenditures Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 5012. Expenditures for the prevention of homelessness.

(a) Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2007 that remain available for the stated purpose and the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 to the Department of Human Services for the prevention of homelessness, the following expenditures may be made:

(1) The amount of \$83,000 to the Georgetown University Hospital for the on-site medical clinic at the DC Village family shelter;

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(2) The amount of \$60,000 for the training of homeless shelter staff throughout the District's Continuum of Care, as described in the Homeless Services Reform Act of 2005, effective October 22, 2005 (D.C. Law 16-35; D.C. Official Code § 4-751.01 *et seq.*);

(3) The amount of \$334,576 to fund services provided by the Dinner Program for homeless women;

(4) The amount of \$696,000 to fund the continuation of shelter and staffing services at the Adams Place shelter;

(5) The amount of \$3.52 million to fund 200 transitional family housing units and related support services;

(6) The amount of \$1,368,833 to fund maintenance and repair services in District-owned homeless services facilities;

(7) The amount of \$640,000 to fund a family assessment center to assess the primary needs of families with children to determine the level of care and supportive services needed to help the families obtain appropriate permanent, or permanent supportive, housing; which assessments shall be coordinated by dedicated case managers, who will be responsible for working with the families to develop and implement service plans;

(8) The amount of \$1 million to fund programs for homeless youth; which programs shall be established pursuant to The Community Partnership's Request for Applications process and its competitively bid award given to a provider with expertise in the delivery of services to homeless youth;

(9) The amount of \$700,000 to fund a memorandum of agreement with the Child and Family Services Agency for housing support for homeless youth through the Rapid Housing Program;

(10) The amount of \$255,458 to fund additional security services at hypothermia sites and for the extension of low barrier shelter services;

(11) The amount of \$45,249 to support the infrastructure and operations of the new Homeless Services Unit;

(12) The amount of \$418,833 to support the maintenance and repair services from the Office of Facilities Management in the Department of Human Services;

(13) The amount of \$500,000 to fund shelter repairs from the Department of Human Services' Office of Facilities Management and from the Office of Property Management;

(14) The amount of \$150,000 to a nationally recognized social services research institution to conduct an evaluation of the Community Partnership and the District's homeless services delivery structure;

(15) The amount of \$7,248,500 in Emergency Rental Assistance grants, which shall be expended to assist families with rental assistance, security deposits, or first month's rent until the total amount awarded has been exhausted; and

(16) The amount of \$350,000 to fund operating costs for Access Housing, a veteran's center aimed at preventing homelessness among veterans.

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(b) Any amount expended pursuant to subsection (a) of this section that is not needed for the stated purpose shall be returned to the Department of Human Services to be used for other measures or initiatives for the prevention of homelessness.

(c) No provision of this subtitle shall be construed to require the District to expend funds for individuals or families who are eligible for services within the Continuum of Care, as described in the Homeless Services Reform Act of 2005, effective October 22, 2005 (D.C. Law 16-35; D.C. Official Code § 4-751.01 *et seq.*), beyond the level of the District's appropriation for services within the Continuum of Care.

SUBTITLE C. HEALTH OCCUPATIONS SUPERVISION OF STUDENTS
REGULATION REPEAL.

Sec. 5021. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Health Occupations Supervision of Students Regulation Repeal Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 5022. Subsection 7013.1 of Title 17 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations is repealed.

SUBTITLE D. TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES INCREASE IN
BENEFITS.

Sec. 5031. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Increase in Benefits Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 5032. The \$3 million increase provided to the Department of Human Services in the Mayor's proposed fiscal year 2008 budget for the Income Assistance Administration program to support additional cash assistance benefits to low-income families receiving Temporary Assistance for Needy Families ("TANF") shall not be distributed as a bonus payment to TANF recipients. The Department of Human Services shall distribute the \$3 million increase as a net increase in TANF benefits.

PART B.

SUBTITLE E. TIMELY DISBURSEMENT ACT.

Sec. 5041. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Timely Disbursement of Grants Emergency Act of 2007".

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Sec. 5042. Disbursement of funds.

(a) By October 1, 2007, the District shall issue a Notice of Grant Award that contains a signed grant agreement and scope of work to each entity designated in Part B of this title to be awarded a grant by the District.

(b)(1) By February 1, 2008, the Mayor shall disburse to each entity designated in Part B of this title to be awarded a grant by the District at least 25% of the total grant award, unless otherwise agreed upon in the signed grant agreement.

(2) If the District fails to make the 25% disbursement by February 1, 2008, the District shall disburse 50% of the total grant amount to the designated entity by February 15, 2008.

(c) By March 1, 2008, the Mayor shall disburse to each entity designated in Part B of this title to be awarded a grant by the District all outstanding grant funding, unless otherwise agreed upon in the signed grant agreement.

(d) By December 1, 2008, the Mayor shall conduct an audit and reconciliation of all funding disbursed to entities designated in Part B of this title to be awarded a grant by the District.

SUBTITLE F. DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH FUNDING ALLOCATION
ACT.

Sec. 5051. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Department of Mental Health Funding Allocation Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 5052. Statement of anticipated funding.

No later than 30 days before the first day of a fiscal year, the Department of Mental Health shall issue to each certified Mental Health Rehabilitation Services provider a statement of anticipated annual funding. The statement shall include language that the anticipated funding level is subject to change based upon actual budget availability and at the discretion of the Department of Mental Health.

SUBTITLE G. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

Sec. 5061. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Reporting Requirements Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 5062. Medical Assistance Administration nursing facilities placement report.

By October 1, 2007, the Medical Assistance Administration within the Department of Health shall provide a report to the Council on the placement of Medicaid eligible individuals in nursing facilities including:

(1) The number of individuals in District nursing facilities and the associated costs;

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(2) The number of individuals in out-of-state nursing facilities and the associated costs, delineated by state;

(3) The number of individuals placed in nursing facilities during fiscal year 2007 and the associated costs, delineated by District and out-of-state facilities;

(4) The number of individuals originally placed in out-of-state nursing facilities that have since returned to the District;

(5) The number of individuals placed in out-of-state nursing facilities who have transitioned residency to the state where the nursing facility is located and are no longer participating in the District's Medicaid program;

(6) Any impact the temporary suspension of the prior authorization requirement for out-of-state placements in nursing facilities has had on the District's Medicaid program;

(7) Any strategies for fiscal year 2008 regarding transitioning the residency of individuals placed in out-of-state nursing facilities to the states where the nursing facilities are located; and

(8) The development of a real-time centralized database of available long-term care placements within the District to allow for more appropriate rapid discharge planning.

Sec. 5063. Health Professional Recruitment Program report.

By October 1, 2007, the Department of Health shall provide a report to the Council on the status of the Health Professional Recruitment Program, including:

(1) The number of participants to date, including delineation by health profession, period of service, and service obligation site;

(2) The number of applicants to date; and

(3) The names of all acceptable service obligation locations in the District of Columbia.

Sec. 5064. Uncompensated care report.

By October 1, 2007, the Department of Health shall provide a report to the Council on the levels of uncompensated care provided by certificate-of-need holders in the District of Columbia, including:

(1) The dollar value of uncompensated care each certificate-of-need holder was required to provide;

(2) The dollar value of uncompensated care each certificate-of-need holder actually provided, with the dollar value of charity care and bad debt reported separately;

(3) The dollar value of services and care provided to District residents; and

(4) The reason provided by a certificate-of-need holder, if the certificate-of-need holder failed to provide the required level of uncompensated care.

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Sec. 5065. Medicaid revenue maximization reports.

(a) By October 1, 2007, the Medical Assistance Administration within the Department of Health shall provide a report to the Council on the analysis of Medicaid financing opportunities, as conducted by Sellers Feinberg & Associates, including any strategies implemented as a result of the analysis.

(b) By January 1, 2008, the Mayor shall report to the Council on all efforts to maximize allowable Medicaid reimbursement revenue for health-related services provided as part of school-based programs, including:

(1) The establishment of written productivity standards for the delivery of health-related services, evaluation procedures, and related personnel actions for failure to meet established productivity standards for the delivery of health-related services;

(2) The establishment of a written policy ensuring that health-related services are entered into the special education student tracking system within 15 days of the date the service is rendered;

(3) The establishment of a written policy ensuring that transportation trip-tickets are delivered to the District of Columbia Public Schools ("DCPS") Medicaid Recovery Unit within 45 days of the last day of each month, and that each transportation trip-ticket shall include:

- (A) The student's name;
- (B) Transportation route number;
- (C) Date;
- (D) Pick-up time;
- (E) Drop-off time;
- (F) The signature of the transportation driver; and
- (G) Any other information considered necessary;

(4) The development of a tracking and reporting system of individual health-related service provider caseload information that includes:

(A) The name and discipline of each service provider and whether the service provider is an employee of the District or is a contract employee;

(B) The name of the school in which the service provider provides health-related services;

(C) The name, identification number, and date of birth of each student treated by the service provider;

(D) The health-related services as prescribed by an Individual Education Plan, including the anticipated frequency and duration, for each student treated by the service provider; and

(E) Any other information considered necessary;

(5) The development of monthly productivity reports for each service provider that identifies the date, location, type, and duration of health-related services provided to each

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student and any actions taken if the service provider failed to meet established productivity standards;

(6)(A) The development of monthly reports identifying each student placed in a non-public program or residential program, including:

(i) The student's:

(I) Name;

(II) Identification number; and

(III) Date of birth; and

(ii) The facility's:

(I) Name;

(II) Location;

(III) Its DCPS designated facility identification number;

and

(IV) Listing of all health-related services provided to the student.

(B) All new residential placements and students placed through a Hearing Office's determination shall be identified separately and include the information required by subparagraph (A) of this paragraph;

(7) The development of monthly reports on all independent individual evaluations, re-evaluations, and assessments provided by private institutions and vendors following a Hearing Office's determination that includes:

(A) The student's name;

(B) The student's identification number;

(C) The name of the private institution or vendor where the evaluation, re-evaluation, or assessment occurred;

(D) The type of evaluation, re-evaluation, or assessment;

(E) Date of the evaluation, re-evaluation, or assessment; and

(F) The facility at which the student was placed as a result of the evaluation, re-evaluation, or assessment;

(8) The creation of an electronic registry of all current credentialing documents required by DCPS, the District of Columbia, and federal regulations for each health-related service provider; and

(9) A review of the current special education student tracking system, processes, and data assessing overall effectiveness and providing recommendations.

Sec. 5066. Qualified Medicare Beneficiary program report.

By October 1, 2007, the Medical Assistance Administration within the Department of Health shall provide a report to the Council assessing the District's current Qualified Medicare Beneficiary ("QMB") program that includes:

(1) An evaluation of the QMB program asset limit;

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(2) A financial impact analysis calculating the increased costs and cost savings of various alternatives, including expansion and elimination; and

(3) Recommendations of an appropriate asset QMB program limit.

Sec. 5067. Substance abuse services delivery report.

By January 1, 2008, the Department of Health shall provide a report to the Council on its efforts to discontinue direct substance abuse treatment services within the Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration by no later than January 1, 2009.

Sec. 5068. Communications report.

By October 1, 2007, the Department of Health and the Department of Mental Health shall each provide a report to the Council on their efforts to identify efficiencies and reduce communications costs, including:

(1) Identification of the number of active phone lines within the agency and used by the agency;

(2) Identification of the service provider and the rate for each active phone line; and

(3) Strategies to implement cost-savings.

Sec. 5069. Comprehensive diabetes and hypertension strategy report.

By October 1, 2007, the Department of Health shall provide to the Council a comprehensive plan to implement a citywide diabetes and hypertension prevention and management strategy, including:

(1) Education;

(2) Testing;

(3) Outreach to African-American and language minority residents; and

(4) Targeted approaches to:

(A) Children;

(B) Adolescents; and

(C) Their parents.

SUBTITLE H. FIXED COSTS ALLOCATIONS.

Sec. 5071. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Fixed Costs Allocation Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 5072. Fixed costs allocations.

Neither the Department of Health nor the Department of Mental Health shall enter into a memorandum of understanding or other similar agreement with another agency of the District of Columbia for the transfer of funds in an amount that exceeds the amount budgeted for such services within a given fiscal year.

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SUBTITLE I. DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH WORKFORCE.

Sec. 5081. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Department of Mental Health Workforce Enhancement Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 5082. For fiscal year 2008, there shall be 221.5 full-time equivalent positions within the Mental Health Authority within the Department of Mental Health.

SUBTITLE J. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH WORKFORCE.

Sec. 5091. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Department of Health Workforce Enhancement Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 5092. Medical Assistance Administration employees.

For fiscal year 2008, there shall be 142 full-time equivalent positions ("FTE") within the Medical Assistance Administration, of which at least:

- (1) Seven shall be within the Office of Support Services to provide public provider liaison services, Medicaid billing, and navigation assistance to sister agencies;
- (2) Six shall be within the Office of Program Integrity to provide comprehensive reviews of services billed and paid for by the District Medicaid program; and
- (3) Eight shall be within the Office of Support Services to perform data analysis, trending, and cost measurement toward the goal of building a foundation for performance management within the Medical Assistance Administration.

Sec. 5093. Long-term care employees.

For fiscal year 2008, there shall be 15.3 FTEs within the Health Care Safety Net Administration, of which at least 4 shall be dedicated to the coordination and delivery of long-term care services in the District.

Sec. 5094. Health Regulation and Licensing Administration employees.

For fiscal year 2008, there shall be 155.6 FTEs within the Health Regulation and Licensing Administration.

SUBTITLE K. DESIGNATED APPROPRIATION ALLOCATIONS.

Sec. 5101. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Designated Appropriation Allocation Emergency Act of 2007".

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Sec. 5102. Funds for school health program.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Department of Health, no less than \$11.218 million in local funds shall be allocated for the provision of school health services in partnership with Children's National Medical Center.

Sec. 5103. Funds for diabetes education and prevention.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration of the Department of Health, \$600,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to Howard University Hospital to provide community outreach activities for diabetes education and prevention for low-income and uninsured District residents, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5104. Funds for prostate cancer education and prevention.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration of the Department of Health, \$600,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to Howard University Hospital to provide prostate cancer education and screening for low-income and uninsured District residents, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5105. Funds for pre-school immunization program.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$300,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the Children's National Medical Center for pre-school immunization programs for District residents, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5106. Funds for Medical Homes DC.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration, up to \$1.9 million, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the District of Columbia Primary Care Association for operational expenses for the Medical Homes DC project, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5107. Funds for health career training.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$500,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the District of Columbia Area Health Education Center for health professional training programs and supplemental services, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

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Sec. 5108. Funds for allied health professional training.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$700,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to Southeastern University to work in partnership with the Service Employees International Union for allied health training programs, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5109. Funds for organ and tissue donation.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$100,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the Washington Regional Transplant Consortium for purposes of an organ and tissue donor awareness campaign for the District of Columbia, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5110. Funds for kidney disease screening.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$350,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the National Kidney Foundation to provide kidney disease screening and follow-up care for low-income and uninsured District residents, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5111. Funds for poison control.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$250,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the National Capital Poison Control Center to provide operational support for poison control activities, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5112. Funds for dental services.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$125,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted So Others Might Eat for dental and oral health care for low-income and homeless District residents, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5113. Funds for the Health Professional Recruitment program.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, no less than \$500,000 shall be allocated to the Health Professional Recruitment Fund for the purposes of direct payments to Health Professional Recruitment Program participants.

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Sec. 5114. Funds for Latino health services.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration within the Department of Health, \$170,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to Mary's Center and La Clinica del Pueblo for a joint program to enhance primary health, education, and outreach services for the Latino population, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5115. Funds for Human Papillomavirus public education campaign.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$150,000 shall be allocated for a public information campaign on the Human Papillomavirus ("HPV"), including multiple education forums in each ward, aimed at educating the public on the connection between HPV and cervical cancer, the importance of protecting oneself against HPV infection, the value of screening for cervical cancer through regular pap tests, and the effectiveness and risks of the HPV vaccine.

Sec. 5116. Funds for asthma program.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$300,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the American Lung Association of the District of Columbia for asthma management programs, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5117. Funds for clinical nutritional services.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$300,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to Food & Friends for clinical nutritional support to adults and children with cancer and other life-threatening illnesses, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5118. Funds for breast cancer outreach.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$250,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the Capital Breast Care Center to raise breast cancer awareness and to provide screening and follow-up services for women, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5119. Funds for the Family Support Workers program.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Primary Care and Prevention Administration in the Department of Health, \$100,000 shall be allocated to the Family Support

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Workers Program. This amount shall be in addition to the \$375,000 allocated to the Family Support Workers Program as part of the Maternal and Family Health Administration.

Sec. 5120. Funds for school-based health programs.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Maternal and Family Health Administration in the Department of Health, \$100,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the D.C. Assembly on School-Based Health Care to provide operational support for school health policies and programs for the District, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5121. Funds for rat abatement programs.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Health Regulation and Licensing Administration, no less than \$1.45 million shall be allocated for rat abatement programs.

Sec. 5122. Funds for assisted living.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Health Regulation and Licensing Administration, no less than \$250,000 shall be allocated to implement the assisted living program.

Sec. 5123. Funds for sexual health education.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the HIV/AIDS Administration in the Department of Health, \$25,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to ISIS, Inc., to create SexINFO D.C., a text-messaging project that provides sexual health information to District youth, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5124. Funds for cultural competency training.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the HIV/AIDS Administration, \$100,000 shall be allocated to support cultural competency training to clinicians that serve Latinos and other immigrant populations in the District.

Sec. 5125. Funds for housing assistance.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the HIV/AIDS Administration, \$200,000 shall be allocated for housing assistance, including long-term mortgage assistance, for District residents living with HIV/AIDS who do not qualify for housing assistance through the Housing Opportunities for Persons with HIV/AIDS program.

Sec. 5126. Funds for clinical nutritional services.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the HIV/AIDS Administration in the Department of Health, \$300,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be

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granted to Food & Friends for clinical nutritional support for adults and children with HIV/AIDS, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5127. Funds for comprehensive prevention programs.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the HIV/AIDS Administration in the Department of Health, \$1.5 million shall be allocated for comprehensive prevention programs that target high-risk populations, as defined by the HIV Prevention Community Planning Group and the Ryan White Planning Council, including outreach-related counseling and testing, linkage to care services, prevention case management, and targeted education services. The comprehensive prevention programs shall be implemented in partnership with qualified community providers, as determined through a competitive award process.

Sec. 5128. Funds for the East of the River HIV/AIDS Capacity Building Initiative.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the HIV/AIDS Administration in the Department of Health, \$650,000 shall be allocated for the East of the River HIV/AIDS Capacity Building Initiative.

Sec. 5129. Funds for transgender community HIV/AIDS prevention education.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the HIV/AIDS Administration in the Department of Health, \$150,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to Transgender Health Empowerment, Inc., for organizational capacity-building, client support services, and HIV/AIDS prevention education for transgendered individuals, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5130. Funds for HIV/AIDS primary care, treatment, and support services.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the HIV/AIDS Administration in the Department of Health, \$750,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the Whitman Walker Clinic to provide HIV/AIDS treatment, prevention, and educational services to transgendered individuals, individuals diagnosed with both substance abuse and HIV/AIDS, and individuals in other high-risk populations.

Sec. 5131. Funds for HIV/AIDS training.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the HIV/AIDS Administration in the Department of Health, \$110,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to MetroTeen AIDS to provide HIV/AIDS education and training for school nurses, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

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Sec. 5132. Funds for burial assistance.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Administration for HIV/AIDS Policy and Planning in the Department of Health, no less than \$250,000 shall be made available for burial assistance.

Sec. 5133. Funds for Medical Assistance Administration management assistance.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Medical Assistance Administration within the Department of Health, up to \$5 million, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be made available to contract with the School of Public Health at George Washington University. The Department of Health shall have the ability to negotiate rates and services, and the contract shall be used at the discretion of the Director of the Department of Health to conduct federally reimbursable management and administrative projects on an as-needed basis.

Sec. 5134. Funds for Health Care Ombudsman program.

Of the funds appropriated for the Medical Assistance Administration within the Department of Health, no less than \$1 million shall be allocated to fund the Health Care Ombudsman program.

Sec. 5135. Funds for residential treatment centers rate increase.

Of the funds appropriated for the Medical Assistance Administration within the Department of Health, \$1 million shall be allocated to fund a rate increase for residential treatment centers in the District.

Sec. 5136. Aging and Disabilities Resource Center.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Office of Disabilities and Aging Activity, no less than \$1 million from the Nursing Home Quality of Care Fund shall be allocated for the establishment of an Aging and Disabilities Resource Center ("ADRC") within the Medical Assistance Administration. The ADRC shall have no less than 10 full-time equivalent positions and shall provide, at minimum, the following services:

- (1) Medical and social assessments;
- (2) Program eligibility determinations;
- (3) Long-term and chronic care counseling and linkage;
- (4) Short-term stabilization services; and
- (5) General information and assistance.

Sec. 5137. Funds for emergency preparedness.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Emergency Health and Medical Services Administration in the Department of Health, \$150,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be provided to the District of Columbia Hospital Association for

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Terrorism Response Planning Coordination Services, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5138. Funds for the Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration management assistance.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for Agency Management in the Department of Health, no less than \$200,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be made available to contract with KPMG, LLP. The Department of Health shall have the ability to negotiate rates and services. The contract shall be used at the discretion of the Director of the Department of Health to conduct management and administrative projects for the Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration on an as-needed basis.

Sec. 5139. Funds for substance abuse prevention.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration in the Department of Health, \$100,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the Crystal Meth Working Group for expanded substance abuse prevention programs, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Health.

Sec. 5140. Funds for Choice in Drug Treatment Program.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration, no less than \$12.54 million shall be directed to the Addiction Recovery Fund to support direct substance abuse treatment services for the Choice in Drug Treatment Program.

Sec. 5141. Mental health substance abuse detoxification facility funds.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for Core Community Providers in the Department of Mental Health, \$100,000 shall be allocated for mental health services at the Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration Detoxification Center.

Sec. 5142. Parental support funding.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for Core Community Providers in the Department of Mental Health, \$200,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be granted to the District of Columbia Birth Center, Inc., to support parental education and postpartum counseling, subject to terms and conditions approved by the Department of Mental Health.

Sec. 5143. School-based mental health services funds.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Mental Health Authority in the Department of Mental Health, no less than \$4.35 million shall be allocated to school-based mental health services. The funds shall support, in part, an additional 2 full-time equivalent

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positions within the Mental Health Authority for the purposes of expanding the School Mental Health Program.

Sec. 5144. Funds for forensic services.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Department of Mental Health, no less than \$2 million shall be allocated to expand jail diversion programs for persons with mental health illness, to provide mental health services at the D.C. Jail, and to provide services for persons with mental illness being released from jail.

Sec. 5145. Funds for housing subsidies.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Department of Mental Health, no less than \$5.5 million shall be allocated for rental housing subsidy programs.

Sec. 5146. Funds for consumer center.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for Core Community Providers in the Department of Mental Health, no less than \$300,000 shall be allocated to develop a peer-operated wellness center to serve as a resource center, a home for a consumer-operated internship program, and a drop-in center where consumers can reconnect to the community.

Sec. 5147. Funds for the Department of Mental Health management and organizational review.

Of the funds appropriated in fiscal year 2008 for the Department of Mental Health, no less than \$2 million shall be allocated to conduct strategic management projects and provider audits, and for federal revenue maximization. Of these funds, no less than \$500,000, which shall be a one-time, nonrecurring distribution, shall be made available to contract with KPMG, LLP. The Department of Mental Health shall have the ability to negotiate rates and services. The contract shall be used at the discretion of the Director of the Department of Mental Health to conduct management and administrative projects on an as-needed basis.

SUBTITLE L. REPORT AUTHORITY ACT.

Sec. 5201. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Report Authority Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 5202. The allocations and recommendations set forth in the committee report of the Committee on Health for Part B of this title are incorporated into this title.

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TITLE VI. PUBLIC WORKS
SUBTITLE A. DISTRICT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION UNIFIED
FUND.

Sec. 6001. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "District Department of Transportation Unified Fund Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 6002. The Highway Trust Fund Establishment Act of 1996, effective April 9, 1997 (D.C. Law 11-184; D.C. Official Code § 9-111.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 102(e) (D.C. Official Code § 9-111.01(e)) is amended by striking the phrase "shall be deposited in the Local Roads Construction and Maintenance Fund established by section 102a" and inserting the phrase "shall be deposited into the District Department of Transportation Unified Fund established by section 9c of the Department of Transportation Establishment Act of 2002, passed on 2nd reading on June 5, 2007 (Enrolled version of Bill 17-148)," in its place.

(b) Section 102a(a) (D.C. Official Code § 9-111.01a(a)), is amended to read as follows:

"(a) There is established the Local Roads Construction and Maintenance Fund ("Maintenance Fund"), which shall be a segregated account within the General Fund of the District of Columbia and shall be funded by the Director of the District Department of Transportation from funds on deposit within the District Department of Transportation Unified Fund."

Sec. 6003. The Department of Transportation Establishment Act of 2002, effective May 21, 2002 (D.C. Law 14-137; D.C. Official Code § 50-921.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 9b(a)(2) (D.C. Official Code § 50-921.10(a)(2)) is amended to read as follows:

"(2)(A) For the fiscal year ending September 30, 2007, up to \$5.8 million of the DDOT Fund balance remaining on September 20, 2007 shall be kept separate from the District Department of Transportation Unified Fund established by section 9c and shall be used, as necessary, to fully fund the Traffic Control Officers program established by the Mayor. Unused portions of the balance shall be transferred or revert to the District Department of Transportation Unified Fund at the start of fiscal year 2009.

"(B) In all other fiscal years, excluding revenues collected in the current year, any revenue, including accrued revenue, deposited in the DDOT Fund in the year prior to the current year and the interest earned on that revenue after the payment of costs accrued in the prior year to the current year, less 20% of that remaining amount, to be retained as a reserve operating balance, shall be transferred or revert to the District of Columbia Highway Trust Fund established by section 102 of the Highway Trust Fund Establishment Act of 1996, effective April 19, 1997 (D.C. Law 11-184; D.C. Official Code § 9-111.01)."

(b) Section 9c (D.C. Official Code § 50-921.11) is amended to read as follows:

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“Sec. 9c. District Department of Transportation Unified Fund.

“(a) There is established as a nonlapsing fund the District Department of Transportation Unified Fund (“Unified Fund”), which shall be a segregated account within the General Fund of the District of Columbia. All funds deposited into the Unified Fund shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall continually be available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsection (b) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

“(b) The funds of the Unified Fund shall be used to pay for any purpose authorized by this act, as well as for payment of debt servicing associated with approved programs, for other comparable financing tools, and to meet the District’s cost-sharing requirements established under the District of Columbia Emergency Highway Relief Act, approved August 4, 1995 (109 Stat. 257; D.C. Official Code § 9-109.01 *et seq.*) (“Highway Relief Act”), and to repay the United States for increased federal shares of eligible projects paid pursuant to the Highway Relief Act, subject to appropriations.

“(c) The following funds shall be deposited into the Unified Fund, beginning on October 1, 2007:

“(1) All revenue derived from the collection of the public rights-of-way user fees, charges, and penalties established pursuant to 24 DCMR §§ 3302.8 through 3302.10, or any other regulations; provided, that any incremental revenue derived from the collection of the public rights-of-way user fees, charges, and penalties pursuant to 24 DCMR §§ 3302.8 through 3302.10, as increased by section 6022(a) of the Public-Rights-of-Way Occupancy Fees Amendment Act of 2006, effective March 2, 2007 (D.C. Law 16-192; 53 DCR 6899), shall be deposited in the Highway Trust Fund.

“(2) Except for dedicated sales tax described in section 109(d)(4) of the Ballpark Omnibus Financing and Revenue Act of 2004, effective April 8, 2005 (D.C. Law 15-320; D.C. Official Code § 47-2002.05(d)(4)), and any dedicated taxes or fees on parking, as the term “dedicated taxes and fees” is described in section 490(n)(5) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 809; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.90(n)(5)), that were dedicated prior to November 17, 2005, 100% of the sales and use taxes collected by the District for parking and storing; provided, that any such revenues in excess of \$30 million shall be deposited into the Highway Trust Fund.

“(3) All excess monies remaining in the Highway Trust Fund pursuant to section 102(e) of the Highway Trust Fund Establishment Act of 1996, effective April 9, 1997 (D.C. Law 11-184; D.C. Official Code § 9-111.01(e)).

“(4) One hundred percent of the proceeds collected by the District for rental of public space, including bus shelter advertising revenue; provided, that any incremental revenue generated by public space rental fees for vaults pursuant to section 305 of the District of Columbia Public Space Rental Act, approved October 17, 1968 (82 Stat. 1159; D.C. Official Code § 10-1103.04), shall be deposited into the Highway Trust Fund.

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“(5) One hundred percent of the District's parking meter revenue.

“(6) One hundred percent of the revenue derived from the collection of fines and penalties due for parking tickets issued to a vehicle by the District Department of Transportation.

“(7) One hundred percent of the revenue derived from the collection of fines and penalties due for moving-violation tickets issued to a vehicle's operator by the District Department of Transportation.

“(d)(1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, the Mayor shall submit to the Council by April 1st of each year a Unified Fund Spending Plan (“Plan”) for all programs, activities, and projects planned by the District Department of Transportation from all Unified Fund sources for the upcoming fiscal year for a 60-day period of review. If the Council does not approve or disapprove the Plan within the 60-day period of review, the Plan shall be deemed approved.

“(2) For fiscal year 2008, the Mayor shall submit the Plan to the Council by June 15, 2007. If the Council does not approve or disapprove of the Plan on or before September 30, 2007, the Plan shall be deemed approved.

“(3) The Mayor shall submit further details of these programs, activities, and projects upon Council request.

“(e) Beginning on October 1, 2007, the Mayor shall submit to the Council, on a quarterly basis, a report, certified by the Office of the Chief Financial Officer, that details the activities, budget, expenditures, and variances, at the program level, of all programs, activities, and projects undertaken by the District Department of Transportation from all available funding sources.”.

SUBTITLE B. SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL COST RECOVERY.

Sec. 6011. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Solid Waste Disposal Cost Recovery Emergency Act of 2007”.

Sec. 6012. Section 8-3:606(e)(iv) of the Solid Waste Regulations, effective July 25, 1989 (D.C. Law 8-16; 36 DCR 4155), is amended as follows:

(a) Subparagraph (B) is amended as follows:

(1) Strike the phrase “The proposed rules” and insert the phrase “Except as provided in subparagraph (B-i) of this paragraph, the proposed rules” in its place.

(2) Strike the phrase “anticipated incinerator repair costs” and insert the phrase “other anticipated costs attributable to the operation of the District's solid waste disposal facilities, including its solid waste transfer facilities” in its place.

(b) A new subparagraph (B-i) is added to read as follows:

“(B-i) Any change in the solid waste disposal fee established in accordance with the solid waste disposal fee-setting formula established pursuant to this act that

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is based on changes in fuel costs or other changes in the amounts paid by the District under a solid waste disposal contract that has been approved by the Council shall not be required to be submitted to the Council for review."

Sec. 6013. Solid Waste Disposal Cost Recovery Special Account.

(a) There is established as a nonlapsing fund the Solid Waste Disposal Cost Recovery Special Account, into which shall be deposited all solid waste disposal transfer fee and disposal fee revenues, less any recycling surcharge, owed and accruing to the District.

(b) All funds deposited into the Solid Waste Disposal Cost Recovery Special Account shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall be continually available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsection (c) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

(c) The Solid Waste Disposal Cost Recovery Special Account shall be used to defray the expenses of operating, maintaining, and improving the District's solid waste transfer facilities, and to dispose of solid waste delivered to those facilities.

SUBTITLE C. TRANSFER OF CIVILIAN SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD FUNCTION TO DISTRICT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

Sec. 6021. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Civilian School Crossing Guard Function Transfer Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 6022. Civilian crossing guards.

(a) The authority to employ civilian crossing guards to perform the function of providing safe conduct of children traveling to and from school granted to the Chief of Police is transferred to the District Department of Transportation.

(b) The Chief of Police shall transfer to the District Department of Transportation all employees, personal property, full-time equivalent position authority, assets, records, and all unexpended balances of appropriations, allocations, and other funds available or to be made available relating to civilian crossing guards performing the function of providing safe conduct of children traveling to and from school.

Sec. 6023. Section 2(f) of the School Proximity Traffic Calming Act of 2000, effective May 23, 2000 (D.C. Law 13-111; D.C. Official Code § 38-3101(f)), is amended to read as follows:

"(f) Crossing guards shall be placed at elementary schools, middle or junior high schools, and high schools where considered necessary by the District Department of Transportation, working collaboratively with the District of Columbia Public Schools and with the affected local public school or public charter school."

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Sec. 6023. This subtitle shall apply as of October 1, 2007.

SUBTITLE D. DISTRICT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PARKING AND MOVING OFFENSE ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY.

Sec. 6031. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "District Department of Transportation Parking and Moving Offense Enforcement Authority Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 6032. The Department of Transportation Establishment Act of 2002, effective May 21, 2002 (D.C. Law 14-137; D.C. Official Code § 50-921.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 4(4) (D.C. Official Code § 50-921.03(4)) is amended as follows:

(1) Subparagraph (B) is amended by striking the word "and" at the end.

(2) Subparagraph (C) is amended by adding the word "and" at the end.

(3) A new subparagraph (D) is added to read as follows:

"(D) Concurrent with any other agency's authority to do so, the enforcement of violations of motor vehicle parking offenses and the enforcement of violations of motor vehicle moving offenses;"

(b) Section 5(3) (D.C. Official Code § 50-921.04(3)) is amended as follows:

(1) Subparagraph (C) is amended by striking the word "and" at the end.

(2) Subparagraph (D)(iii) is amended by striking the phrase "regulations;" and inserting the phrase "regulations; and" in its place.

(3) A new subparagraph (E) is added to read as follows:

"(E) Concurrent with any other agency's authority to do so, enforce all violations of statutes, regulations, executive orders, or rules relating to motor vehicle parking offenses and enforce violations of statutes, regulations, and rules relating to the operation of a motor vehicle, except those violations contained in section 202 of the District of Columbia Traffic Adjudication Act of 1978, effective September 12, 1978 (D.C. Law 2-104; D.C. Official Code § 50-2302.02)."

SUBTITLE E. TAXI AND LIMOUSINE INDUSTRY STUDY TASK FORCE.

Sec. 6041. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Taxi and Limousine Industry Study Task Force Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 6042. Establishment of taxi and limousine industry study task force.

A taxi and limousine industry study task force is established to ensure that the taxicab and limousine industry in the District is properly organized, administered, and overseen.

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Sec. 6043. Duties of the task force.

(a) The task force shall prepare a report to the Council outlining its recommendations for the taxi and limousine industry.

(b) The task force's report shall contain, at a minimum, recommendations:

(1) For the best organizational structure for the District agency charged with overseeing the taxi and limousine industry;

(2) On improving the District's provision of taxicab access to persons with disabilities; and

(3) For fees for limousines.

Sec. 6044. Membership of task force.

(a) The task force shall have 13 members. The Chairperson of the Council committee with oversight over the District of Columbia Taxicab Commission and the Chairperson of the District of Columbia Taxicab Commission shall be co-chairpersons of the task force. The co-chairpersons shall select 11 additional task force members, as follows:

(1) Three members shall be representatives of independent taxi drivers and taxi driver associations;

(2) Two members shall be representatives of companies operating a fleet of 20 or more taxicabs;

(3) Three members shall be representatives of the public, at least one of whom shall be a representative of the community of persons with disabilities who cannot currently be served by the District's taxi fleet.

(4) One member shall be a representative of the District's hotel industry;

(5) One member shall be a representative of the District's restaurant industry; and

(6) One member shall be a representative of the limousine industry.

(b) At least one of the members of the task force shall be fluent in Amharic.

Sec. 6045. Duration of task force.

The task force shall complete its study and submit its report to the Council no later than September 30, 2008.

Sec. 6046. Sunset.

This subtitle shall expire on October 1, 2008.

SUBTITLE F. WHEELCHAIR-ACCESSIBLE TAXICAB PROMOTION.

Sec. 6051. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Wheelchair-Accessible Taxicab Promotion Fund Emergency Act of 2007".

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Sec. 6052. District of Columbia Taxicab Commission Establishment Act of 1985, effective March 25, 1986 (D.C. Law 6-97; D.C. Official Code § 50-301 *et seq.*), is amended by adding a new section 20d to read as follows:

“Sec. 20d. Wheelchair-Accessible Taxicab Promotion Fund.

“(a) There is established as a nonlapsing fund the Wheelchair-Accessible Taxicab Promotion Fund (“Fund”), to be administered by the Chairperson of the District of Columbia Taxicab Commission. The Fund shall be comprised of general revenue funds appropriated by a line item in the budget submitted pursuant to section 446 of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 801; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.46), and authorized by Congress in an appropriations acts for the purpose of the Fund.

“(b) All funds deposited into the Fund shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall be continually available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsection (c) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

“(c)(1) The Fund shall be used to encourage the purchase, operation, and use of wheelchair-accessible taxicabs within the District of Columbia and may be used to provide a required local match for the purposes of obtaining grant funding.

“(2) During only the first year following the initial deposit of funds into the Fund, the District of Columbia Taxicab Commission may use up to 10% of funds within the Fund to retain the services of an outside consultant to engage in the following activities:

“(A) To develop a process for receiving and screening proposals for the use of funds from the Fund to ensure that any expenditure of funds is directed towards qualified programs and applicants;

“(B) To publicize the existence of the Fund and the process by which programs and individuals may apply to the Fund;

“(C) To assist the Chairperson of the District of Columbia Taxicab Commission in selecting programs and individuals to receive funds from the Fund; and

“(D) To seek additional funding for the Fund.

“(d)(1) The District of Columbia Taxicab Commission may make loans from the Fund, including below-market rate or zero-interest loans, so long as the loans are for the purposes set forth in subsection (c) of this section.

“(2) Any repayment of loans made by the Fund shall be deposited within the Fund.

“(e) The District of Columbia Taxicab Commission may seek grants from any source, including the Federal Transit Administration’s New Freedom Program, for the purpose of encouraging the purchase, operation, and use of wheelchair-accessible taxicabs within the District of Columbia.”.

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SUBTITLE G. WATER AND SEWER AUTHORITY CLARIFICATION OF AUTHORITIES AND REPORT REQUIREMENT.

Sec. 6061. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Water and Sewer Authority Clarification of Authorities and Report Requirement Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 6062. The Water and Sewer Authority Establishment and Department of Public Works Reorganization Act of 1996, effective April 18, 1996 (D. C. Law 11-111; D.C. Official Code § 34-2201.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 202(b) (D.C. Official Code § 34-2202.02(b)) is amended by striking the period at the end and inserting the phrase ", including provisions granting oversight responsibilities to the Chief Financial Officer as defined in section 424a of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved October 16, 2006 (120 Stat. 2037; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.25(b))." in its place.

(b) Section 205 (D.C. Official Code § 34-2202.05) is amended by adding a new subsection (h) to read as follows:

"(h)(1) Within 60 days of the effective date of the Water and Sewer Authority Clarification of Authorities and Report Requirement Emergency Amendment Act of 2007, passed on emergency basis on July 10, 2007 (Enrolled version of Bill 17-___), the Board shall contract with an independent consultant to conduct a comprehensive review of the Authority's operating and capital budgets, plans, and programs, including a review of the merits of and the timetable for all planned capital expenditures.

"(2) Within 240 days of the effective date of the Water and Sewer Authority Clarification of Authorities and Report Requirement Emergency Amendment Act of 2007, passed on emergency basis on July 10, 2007 (Enrolled version of Bill 17-___), the Board shall receive the independent consultant's report, with recommendations for maximizing potential savings to the District's rate-payers over the course of the implementation of both the Capital Improvement Program and the Long Term Control Plan, and shall transmit copies of the report to the Mayor and the Council within one week of its receipt by the Board."

SUBTITLE H. NEIGHBORHOOD PROTECTION FROM COMMERCIAL VEHICLES.

Sec. 6071. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Neighborhood Protection from Commercial Vehicles Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 6072. Subsection 2601.1 of Title 18 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations (18 DCMR § 2601.1), is amended by striking the phrase "Commercial vehicle, bus, or sightseeing vehicle in front of residence or other prohibited location [§2405.3(e)] 500.00" and inserting the phrase "Commercial vehicle, bus, or sightseeing vehicle in front of residence or

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other prohibited location [§2405.3(e)] 1,000.00” in its place.

Sec. 6073. Section 9(a)(6) of the Removal and Disposition of Abandoned and Other Unlawfully Parked Vehicles Reform Act of 2003, effective October 28, 2003 (D.C. Law 15-35; D.C. Official Code § 50-2421.09(a)(6)), is amended by striking the phrase “to tow the vehicle” and inserting the phrase “to tow the vehicle; provided further, that the towing fee shall be \$1,000 if the vehicle was impounded pursuant to a violation of 18 DCMR § 2405.3(e)” in its place.

SUBTITLE I. ANTI-GRAFFITI MURAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

Sec. 6081. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Anti-Graffiti Mural Assistance Program Fund Establishment Emergency Act of 2007”.

Sec. 6082. Anti-Graffiti Mural Assistance Program Fund.

(a) There is established as a nonlapsing fund the Anti-Graffiti Mural Assistance Program Fund (“Fund”), which shall be used solely for the purposes set forth in subsections (c) and (d) of this section, and administered by the Office of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

(b) All funds deposited into the Fund shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall be continually available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsections (c) and (d) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

(c) The Director of the Department of Public Works (“Director”) shall:

(1) Ensure that the Fund is used solely to provide grants to qualified corporations;

(2) Provide such direction to the qualified corporations as is needed to ensure that the Fund is used solely for purposes described in this subtitle;

(3) Identify and prioritize for the production of mural art locations in the District that have been targeted or are likely to be targeted for graffiti and are appropriate for mural art; and

(4) Oversee all aspects of the production of mural art for which Fund monies have been provided.

(d) Regarding the production of any mural art for which Fund monies have been provided, the qualified corporation shall:

(1) Expend the monies solely in connection with the production of mural art, including training, supervising, and compensating the mural artists, at locations identified by the Department of Public Works;

(2) Where the Department of Public Works has prioritized the locations at which mural art is to be produced, expend the monies in a manner that reflects those priorities;

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(3) Consult with the Department of Public Works on all aspects of the production of mural art;

(4) Administer and manage the program so as to ensure that the production or any phase of the production of mural art is complete by any deadline established by the Director; and

(5) Provide the Director with a program and budget report no less than twice annually.

(e) For the purposes of subsections (c) and (d) of this section, the term "qualified corporation" means a nonprofit corporation incorporated in the District that provides education, training, funding, and supervision for the creation of mural art within the District.

SUBTITLE J. BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT LITTER CLEANUP ASSISTANCE.

Sec. 6091. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Business Improvement District Litter Cleanup Assistance Fund Establishment Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 6092. (a) There is established as a nonlapsing fund the Business Improvement District Litter Cleanup Assistance Fund ("Fund"), which shall be used solely for the purposes set forth in subsection (c) of this section, and administered by the Office of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

(b)(1) All funds deposited into the Fund shall not revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District at the end of a fiscal year, or at any other time, but shall be continually available for the uses and purposes set forth in subsection (c) of this section without regard to fiscal year limitation, subject to authorization by Congress.

(2) Any funds that are transferred through intra-District funding and are not expended in any fiscal year shall revert to the Fund.

(c)(1) The Fund shall be used solely to provide grants to qualified corporations to support the corporations' litter removal efforts within their respective Business Improvement District areas.

(2) No corporation shall receive monies from the Fund in excess of \$125,000 during any 12-month period.

(3) Where more than one qualified corporation representing the same geographic area applies for a grant pursuant to this subtitle, preference shall be given to the corporation whose contract or contracts with professional litter cleanup services are longer-standing.

(4) For the purposes of this subsection, the term "qualified corporation" means:

(A) A "BID corporation," as that term is defined in section 3(4) of the Business Improvement Districts Act of 1996, effective May 29, 1996 (D.C. Law 11-134; D.C. Official Code § 2-1215.02(4)), that has an annual budget of less than \$1 million; or

(B) A Main Street organization duly incorporated with a current letter of

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agreement with the Local, Small and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Business Center.

SUBTITLE K. HAZARDOUS TREE REMOVAL SUBSIDIES FOR LOW-INCOME HOMEOWNERS.

Sec. 6101. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Hazardous Tree Removal Subsidies for Low-Income Homeowners Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 6102. Section 107(b) of the Urban Forest Preservation Act of 2002, effective June 12, 2003 (D.C. Law 14-309; D.C. Official Code § 8-651.07(b)), is amended to read as follows:

"(b) The Fund shall be used to plant trees and for any associated costs incurred by the District in administering this title, and shall include providing income-contingent subsidies to assist District residents with the removal costs of hazardous trees in accordance with regulations submitted for Council approval within 60 days of the effective date of the Hazardous Tree Removal Subsidies for Low-Income Homeowners Emergency Amendment Act of 2007, passed on emergency basis on July 10, 2007 (Enrolled version of Bill 17-___). The Fund may include income- contingent subsidies for the replacement of trees when owners are required to remove hazardous trees."

SUBTITLE L. VECTOR CONTROL SWEEP INSPECTORS.

Sec. 6111. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Vector Control SWEEP Inspectors Designation Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 6112. Section 4 of the Litter Control Administration Act of 1985, effective March 25, 1986 (D.C. Law 6-100; D.C. Official Code § 8-803), is amended by adding new subsections (b-1) and (b-2) to read as follows:

"(b-1) At least 4 inspectors in the Department of Public Works Solid Waste Education and Enforcement Program shall be designated as Vector Control SWEEP inspectors. The primary responsibility of the Vector Control SWEEP inspectors shall be to investigate:

"(1) High-rodent infestation areas; and

"(2) The compliance of housing providers with all solid waste regulations enforced by the Department of Public Works relating to the proper storage of solid waste intended to prevent the provision of food, harborage, or breeding places for insects or rodents.

"(b-2) The Department shall identify areas in the District most in need of additional vector control resources and shall focus the efforts of the inspectors designated as Vector Control SWEEP inspectors on those areas."

SUBTITLE M. SPECIFIED STREET FUNDING ALLOCATIONS.

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Sec. 6121. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Specified Street Funding Allocation Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 6122. Capital funding allocations.

Of the local capital funds included in the fiscal year 2008 budget of the District Department of Transportation from the project FY03 Street Repair, up to \$3.6 million shall go to addressing all aspects of street repair and maintenance, including replacing deteriorated portions of pavement base, signage, pavement markings, new trees, as needed, and for intersection, alley, and spot resurfacing for the following streets:

- (1) An amount of \$800,000 for Mt. Olivet Road, N.E.;
- (2) An amount of \$1 million for New York Avenue, N.E.;
- (3) An amount of \$1 million for Bladensburg Road, N.E.; and
- (4) An amount of \$800,000 for West Virginia Avenue, N.E.

SUBTITLE N. HIRING OF QUALIFIED EX-OFFENDERS ACT.

Sec. 6131. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Hiring of Ex-Offenders Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 6132. The Department of Public Works shall hire qualified ex-offenders to fill at least 26.9 full-time equivalent positions dedicated to the agency's alley-cutback, graffiti-removal, and other public works programs.

TITLE VII. CONFORMANCE WITH THE PROCUREMENT PRACTICES ACT.

Sec. 7001. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Conformance with the District of Columbia Procurement Practices Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 7002. Conforming requirement.

Unless otherwise provided in this act or other law, the designated appropriation allocations of this act shall be consistent with the requirements of the District of Columbia Procurement Practices Act of 1985, effective February 21, 1986 (D.C. Law 6-85; D.C. Official Code § 2-301.01 *et seq.*), Chapter 500 of Title 1 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations, or the terms and conditions of the federal funding source, whichever is applicable.

TITLE VIII. FISCAL IMPACT AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

Sec. 8001. Fiscal impact statement.

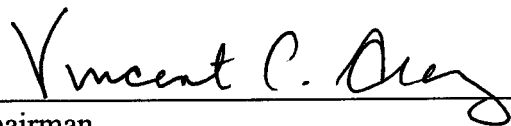
The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement in the committee report for the Fiscal Year 2008 Budget Support Act of 2007, signed by the Mayor on June 28, 2007 (D.C. Act 17-63), as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia

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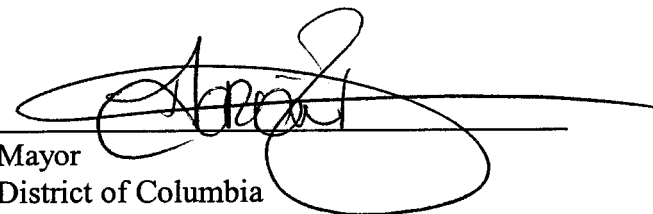
Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 8002. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).



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AN ACT
D.C. ACT 17-75

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
JULY 26, 2007

To amend, on an emergency basis, subsection 1158.5 of Title 21 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations to authorize a swimming event in the Potomac River as part of the 1st sanctioned triathlon in the District of Columbia, to be held on September 29, 2007.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Inaugural D.C. Triathlon Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 2. Subsection 1158.5 of Title 21 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations (21 DCMR § 1158.5), is amended to read as follows:

"1158.5 Primary contact recreation shall be prohibited in the Potomac and Anacostia Rivers and Rock Creek until such time as the standards in subsection 1104.8 for Class A beneficial use are consistently maintained; provided, that:

"(a) Swimming shall be allowed on September 29, 2007 by those persons who are registered participants in the triathlon organized and hosted by The Nation's Triathlon, LLC, in those areas of the Potomac River designated for the swimming portion of the triathlon and in no other areas;

"(b) If the laboratory examinations of samples collected prior to the date of the triathlon suggest to the Director that swimming in the Potomac River should be prohibited on September 29, 2007, upon notice by the Director to The Nation's Triathlon, LLC, the exception in paragraph (a) of this subsection shall not apply;

"(c) The District of Columbia, including, but not limited, to its employees and agents, shall not have any liability whatsoever to any person, including, but not limited, to The Nation's Triathlon, LLC, and any participant in the triathlon, as a consequence of the activities conducted, or the participation in activities conducted, pursuant to the exception in paragraph (a) of this subsection; and

"(d) The Nation's Triathlon, LLC, any participant in the triathlon, and their heirs, successors, and assigns, shall be deemed to have waived liability to the District of Columbia, including, but not limited, to its employees and agents, as a consequence of the conduct of, or participation in, activities pursuant to the exception in paragraph (a) of this subsection."

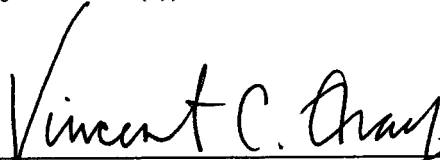
Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Chief Financial Officer as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

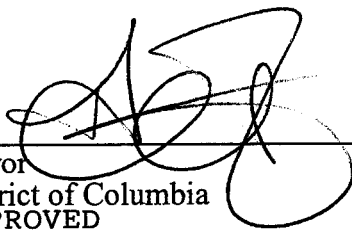
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Sec. 4. Effective date.

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To amend, on an emergency basis, the Omnibus Sports Consolidation Act of 1994 to allow the Mayor to designate a District government official to serve as an ex-officio member of the District of Columbia Sports and Entertainment Commission Board of Directors.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Omnibus Sports Consolidation Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 2. Section 5(a) of the Omnibus Sports Consolidation Act of 1994, effective August 23, 1994 (D.C. Law 10-152; D.C. Official Code § 3-1404(a)), is amended as follows:

*Note,
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- (a) Strike the number "11" and insert the number "13" in its place.
- (b) Strike the number "8" and insert the number "9" in its place.
- (c) Strike the phrase "with similar responsibilities," and insert the phrase "with similar responsibilities, and a District government official designated by the Mayor," in its place.

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

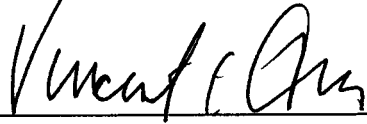
The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Chief Financial Officer as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

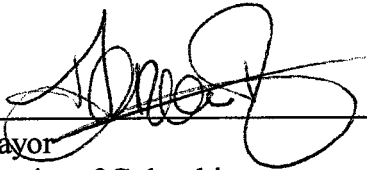
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section 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).



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To amend, on an emergency basis, section 25-101 of the District of Columbia Official Code to suspend, for an additional 6 months, the enforcement of the annual gross food sales requirements for restaurants and hotels that sell alcoholic beverages under a C/R, D/R, C/H, or D/H license.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Restaurant and Hotel Audit Sufficiency Emergency Act of 2007".

Sec. 2. Section 25-101(43)(C) of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended by striking the phrase "2 years" and inserting the phrase "2 years and 6 months" in its place.

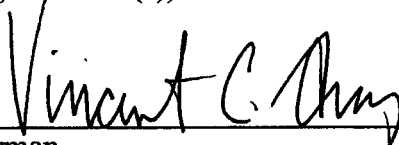
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Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Budget Director as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).



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To amend, on an emergency basis, the Business Improvement Districts Act of 1996 to approve the establishment of the Capitol Riverfront Business Improvement District.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Capitol Riverfront Business Improvement District Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 2. The Business Improvement Districts Act of 1996, effective May 29, 1996 (D.C. Law 11-134; D.C. Official Code § 2-1215.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 3(18) (D.C. Official Code § 2-1215.02(18)) is amended by striking the phrase "or NoMa BID" and inserting the phrase ", NoMa BID, or Capitol Riverfront BID" in its place.

Note,
§ 2-1215.02

(b) Section 5(b) (D.C. Official Code § 2-1215.04(b)) is amended by striking the phrase "or NoMa" and inserting the phrase "NoMa, or Capitol Riverfront" in its place.

Note,
§ 2-1215.04

(c) A new section 208 is added to read as follows:

"Sec. 208. Capitol Riverfront BID.

"(a) Subject to review and approval by the Mayor under the provisions of sections 5 and 6, the formation of the Capitol Riverfront BID, including nonexempt real property within the geographic area set forth in subsection (b) of this section, is hereby authorized and the BID taxes established in subsection (c) of this section are hereby imposed through the expiration date of this act or the termination or dissolution of the BID.

"(b) The Capitol Riverfront BID shall be comprised of the geographic area bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of an extension south of the center line of 2nd Street, S.W., and the northern bank of the Anacostia River; continuing north along extension of the center line of 2nd Street, S.W., to the center line of 2nd Street, S.W.; continuing north along the center line of 2nd Street, S.W., to the center line of Q Street, S.W.; continuing east along the center line of Q Street, S.W., to the center line of Half Street, S.W.; continuing north along the center line of Half Street, S.W., to the center line of P Street, S.W.; continuing east along the center line of

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P Street, S.W., to the center line of South Capitol Street; continuing north along the center line of South Capitol Street to the southern boundary of the Southeast-Southwest Freeway (I-395); continuing southeast along the southern boundary of the Southeast-Southwest Freeway (I-395) to the intersection of an extension south of the center line of 15th Street, S.E.; continuing south along the extension of the center line of 15th Street, S.E., to the northern bank of the Anacostia River; continuing southwest along the northern bank of the Anacostia River to the center line of 2nd Street, S.W.

“(c)(1) The BID taxes for the nonexempt real properties in the Capitol Riverfront BID shall be:

“(A) The amount of \$0.09 per \$100 of the assessed value of real property containing less than 50,000 square feet of gross building area;

“(B) The amount of \$0.04 per \$100 of the assessed value of land and buildings that have a certificate of occupancy or other District license indicating that the land or building has an existing active industrial, utility, or storage use;

“(C) The amount of \$0.02 per \$100 of assessed value of land and buildings located, in whole or in part, within the right-of-way for the realignment of the Frederick Douglass Memorial Bridge;

“(D) The amount of \$0.12 per square foot of commercial buildings containing 50,000 square feet of gross building area or more; provided, that the BID tax imposed on any such real property shall not exceed \$75,000 annually;

“(E) The amount of \$72 per hotel room annually; and

“(F) The amount of \$96 per unit annually for nonexempt residential properties; provided, that if a residential unit is restricted to residents based upon income pursuant to a federal or District affordable housing program, the BID tax due on the unit shall be computed by applying the percentage of area median income that an eligible household must meet to participate in the affordable housing program for the unit to the amount of the BID tax which would otherwise be due.

“(2) To the extent that a building that is subject to the BID tax is constructed pursuant to a ground lease on land that is exempt from real property taxes, the assessed value of the real property for purposes of the BID tax shall include the value of the building and the leasehold interest, possessory interest, beneficial interest, or beneficial use of the land, and the lessee or user of the land shall be assessed the corresponding BID tax, which shall be a personal liability of the lessee. Delinquencies shall be collected in the same manner as possessory interest taxes under D.C. Official Code § 47-1005.01 or as otherwise provided in this act.

“(3) A 5% annual increase in the BID taxes over the current tax year rates specified in paragraph (1) of this subsection is authorized subject to the requirements of section 8(b).

“(4) For the purposes of this subsection, the real property located in Square 770, Lot 802, designated as the DOT PILOT Area under the DOT Pilot Revision Emergency Approval Resolution of 2006, effective October 18, 2006 (Res. 16-845; 53 DCR 8970), shall be

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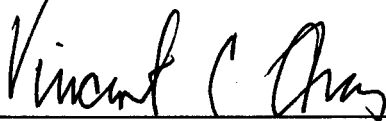
deemed a nonexempt real property.”.

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

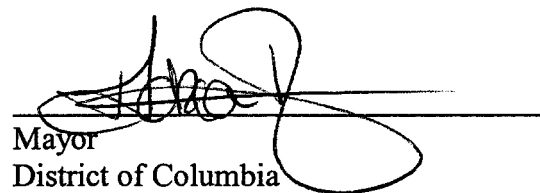
The Council adopts the June 14, 2007 fiscal impact statement of the Chief Financial Officer as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).



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AN ACT
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To amend, on an emergency basis, the Free Clinic Assistance Program Act of 1986 to extend the life of the free clinic assistance program until the earlier of October 1, 2008 or the date that a captive insurance company, to be formed at the direction of the Department of Insurance, Securities, and Banking, certifies to the Mayor and the Council that it will offer medical liability insurance to free clinics.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Free Clinic Assistance Program Extension Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 2. Section 7(b) of the Free Clinic Assistance Program Act of 1986, effective September 23, 1986 (D.C. Law 6-155; D.C. Official Code § 1-307.26), is amended by striking the phrase "October 1, 2007" and inserting the phrase "the earlier of October 1, 2008 or the date that a captive insurance company, to be formed at the direction of the Department of Insurance, Securities, and Banking, certifies to the Mayor and the Council that it will offer medical liability insurance to free clinics" in its place.

Note,
§ 1-307.26

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Budget Director as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section

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AN ACT

D.C. ACT 17-80

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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To amend, on an emergency basis, the Comprehensive Psychiatric Emergency Program Long-Term Ground Lease Temporary Act of 2006 to repeal provisions authorizing the Department of Mental Health to enter into a long-term ground lease with Greater Southeast Community Hospital to house the Comprehensive Psychiatric Emergency Program on the hospital site.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Comprehensive Psychiatric Emergency Program Long-Term Ground Lease Emergency Amendment Act of 2007".

Sec. 2. Section 2 of the Comprehensive Psychiatric Emergency Program Long-Term Ground Lease Temporary Act of 2006, effective March 6, 2007 (D.C. Law 16-298; 53 DCR 10204), is repealed.

*Note,
§§ 7-1131.02,
7-1131.04*

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

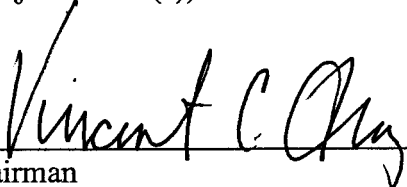
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Sec. 4. Effective date.

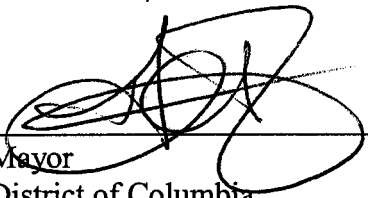
This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section

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